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All races, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	2,426,264	100.0	810.4
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	631,636	26.0	211.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	559,888	23.1	187.0
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	137,119	5.7	45.8
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	124,583	5.1	41.6
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	121,599	5.0	40.6
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	72,449	3.0	24.2
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	72,432	3.0	24.2
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	56,326	2.3	18.8
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	45,344	1.9	15.1
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	34,234	1.4	11.4
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	33,300	1.4	11.1
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	27,555	1.1	9.2
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	23,855	1.0	8.0
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	19,566	0.8	6.5
15	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	18,573	0.8	6.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	447,805	18.5	149.6
All races, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	4,631	100.0	28.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,610	34.8	9.9
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	515	11.1	3.2
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	377	8.1	2.3
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	366	7.9	2.2
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	161	3.5	1.0
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	125	2.7	0.8
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	88	1.9	0.5
8	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	65	1.4	0.4
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	60	1.3	0.4
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	54	1.2	0.3
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	43	0.9	0.3
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	26	0.6	0.2
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	22	0.5	0.1
14	Meningitis (G00,G03)	20	0.4	0.1
15	Meningococcal infection (A39)	14	0.3	*
15	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	14	0.3	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	14	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,057	22.8	6.5

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All races, both sexes, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	2,735	100.0	13.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,044	38.2	5.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	459	16.8	2.3
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	182	6.7	0.9
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	149	5.4	0.8
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	90	3.3	0.5
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	52	1.9	0.3
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	45	1.6	0.2
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	40	1.5	0.2
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	40	1.5	0.2
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	38	1.4	0.2
11	Anemias (D50-D64)	16	0.6	*
12	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	15	0.5	*
13	Meningitis (G00,G03)	9	0.3	*
14	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7	0.3	*
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	7	0.3	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	7	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	535	19.6	2.7
All races, both sexes, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	3,414	100.0	16.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,214	35.6	5.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	448	13.1	2.2
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	241	7.1	1.2
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	216	6.3	1.0
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	163	4.8	0.8
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	162	4.7	0.8
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	63	1.8	0.3
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	50	1.5	0.2
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	44	1.3	0.2
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	38	1.1	0.2
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	28	0.8	0.1
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	21	0.6	0.1
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	18	0.5	*
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	13	0.4	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	12	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	683	20.0	3.3

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	13,739	100.0	64.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,659	48.5	31.2
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2,291	16.7	10.7
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,555	11.3	7.3
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	675	4.9	3.2
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	360	2.6	1.7
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	228	1.7	1.1
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	73	0.5	0.3
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	73	0.5	0.3
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	61	0.4	0.3
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	55	0.4	0.3
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	50	0.4	0.2
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	42	0.3	0.2
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	40	0.3	0.2
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	35	0.3	0.2
15	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	34	0.2	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,508	11.0	7.1
All races, both sexes, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	21,148	100.0	100.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	9,570	45.3	45.3
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	3,426	16.2	16.2
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,634	12.5	12.5
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	969	4.6	4.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	716	3.4	3.4
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	232	1.1	1.1
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	166	0.8	0.8
8	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	146	0.7	0.7
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	137	0.6	0.6
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	123	0.6	0.6
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	111	0.5	0.5
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	90	0.4	0.4
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	89	0.4	0.4
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	72	0.3	0.3
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	58	0.3	0.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,609	12.3	12.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	20,897	100.0	100.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8,042	38.5	38.8
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2,795	13.4	13.5
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,560	12.3	12.4
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,390	6.7	6.7
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,210	5.8	5.8
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	421	2.0	2.0
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	250	1.2	1.2
8	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	235	1.1	1.1
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	183	0.9	0.9
10	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	173	0.8	0.8
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	141	0.7	0.7
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	128	0.6	0.6
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	113	0.5	0.5
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	87	0.4	0.4
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	74	0.4	0.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,095	14.8	14.9
All races, both sexes, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	22,055	100.0	111.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,912	31.3	35.1
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,425	11.0	12.3
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,266	10.3	11.5
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,097	9.5	10.6
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,930	8.8	9.8
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	761	3.5	3.9
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	423	1.9	2.1
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	344	1.6	1.7
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	249	1.1	1.3
10	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	202	0.9	1.0
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	194	0.9	1.0
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	189	0.9	1.0
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	163	0.7	0.8
14	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	151	0.7	0.8
15	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	142	0.6	0.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,607	16.4	18.3

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All races, both sexes, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	31,499	100.0	148.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	7,808	24.8	36.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4,398	14.0	20.8
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,950	12.5	18.6
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,115	9.9	14.7
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,602	5.1	7.6
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,591	5.1	7.5
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	717	2.3	3.4
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	709	2.3	3.3
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	708	2.2	3.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	327	1.0	1.5
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	291	0.9	1.4
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	269	0.9	1.3
13	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	230	0.7	1.1
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	222	0.7	1.0
15	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	140	0.4	0.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	5,422	17.2	25.6
All races, both sexes, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	51,544	100.0	229.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	9,726	18.9	43.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	9,519	18.5	42.3
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8,389	16.3	37.3
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,476	6.7	15.5
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,419	4.7	10.8
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,842	3.6	8.2
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,504	2.9	6.7
8	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,418	2.8	6.3
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,386	2.7	6.2
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	619	1.2	2.8
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	550	1.1	2.4
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	543	1.1	2.4
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	516	1.0	2.3
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	406	0.8	1.8
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	270	0.5	1.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	8,961	17.4	39.9

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All races, both sexes, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	79,268	100.0	347.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	19,174	24.2	84.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	15,367	19.4	67.4
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	10,721	13.5	47.0
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,893	4.9	17.1
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3,364	4.2	14.8
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,557	3.2	11.2
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,477	3.1	10.9
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,180	2.8	9.6
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,320	1.7	5.8
10	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,280	1.6	5.6
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1,089	1.4	4.8
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	899	1.1	3.9
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	867	1.1	3.8
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	831	1.0	3.6
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	487	0.6	2.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	12,762	16.1	56.0
All races, both sexes, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	105,763	100.0	516.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	31,160	29.5	152.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	22,728	21.5	111.0
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8,954	8.5	43.7
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	4,348	4.1	21.2
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3,784	3.6	18.5
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,533	3.3	17.3
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,512	3.3	17.1
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2,604	2.5	12.7
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,900	1.8	9.3
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1,822	1.7	8.9
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,378	1.3	6.7
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,361	1.3	6.6
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,176	1.1	5.7
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	929	0.9	4.5
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	812	0.8	4.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	15,762	14.9	77.0

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...	All causes	133,053	100.0	730.1
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	46,057	34.6	252.7
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	30,564	23.0	167.7
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,765	5.1	37.1
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,233	3.9	28.7
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4,811	3.6	26.4
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	4,699	3.5	25.8
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	4,154	3.1	22.8
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,792	2.1	15.3
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,945	1.5	10.7
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,869	1.4	10.3
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1,455	1.1	8.0
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,391	1.0	7.6
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,176	0.9	6.5
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,005	0.8	5.5
15	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	618	0.5	3.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	18,519	13.9	101.6
All races, both sexes, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	148,348	100.0	1,110.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	55,397	37.3	414.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	34,913	23.5	261.3
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7,676	5.2	57.4
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	6,199	4.2	46.4
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,707	3.8	42.7
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,681	3.2	35.0
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3,063	2.1	22.9
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,423	1.6	18.1
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,163	1.5	16.2
10	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,791	1.2	13.4
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,763	1.2	13.2
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,173	0.8	8.8
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	751	0.5	5.6
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	744	0.5	5.6
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	672	0.5	5.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	19,232	13.0	143.9

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	171,883	100.0	1,656.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	63,820	37.1	615.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	40,147	23.4	386.9
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	11,601	6.7	111.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	7,334	4.3	70.7
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7,084	4.1	68.3
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,109	2.4	39.6
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,161	1.8	30.5
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,620	1.5	25.3
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,573	1.5	24.8
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,399	1.4	23.1
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,377	0.8	13.3
12	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,304	0.8	12.6
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,096	0.6	10.6
14	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,000	0.6	9.6
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	937	0.5	9.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	21,321	12.4	205.5
All races, both sexes, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	218,210	100.0	2,554.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	73,734	33.8	863.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	52,605	24.1	615.9
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	16,635	7.6	194.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	10,889	5.0	127.5
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8,399	3.8	98.3
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,311	2.0	50.5
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4,292	2.0	50.3
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3,662	1.7	42.9
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3,444	1.6	40.3
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	2,812	1.3	32.9
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,344	1.1	27.4
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,797	0.8	21.0
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,689	0.8	19.8
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,539	0.7	18.0
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,432	0.7	16.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	28,626	13.1	335.1

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	297,710	100.0	4,033.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	84,503	28.4	1,144.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	76,147	25.6	1,031.7
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	22,770	7.6	308.5
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	17,739	6.0	240.3
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	10,471	3.5	141.9
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	7,472	2.5	101.2
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6,377	2.1	86.4
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6,365	2.1	86.2
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,004	2.0	81.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4,871	1.6	66.0
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	3,695	1.2	50.1
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,705	0.9	36.6
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,182	0.7	29.6
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	2,177	0.7	29.5
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2,124	0.7	28.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	42,108	14.1	570.5
All races, both sexes, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	369,628	100.0	6,524.0
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	104,304	28.2	1,841.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	80,386	21.7	1,418.8
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	25,980	7.0	458.6
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	24,636	6.7	434.8
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	15,443	4.2	272.6
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	11,292	3.1	199.3
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	10,303	2.8	181.8
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	8,159	2.2	144.0
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	7,704	2.1	136.0
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	5,874	1.6	103.7
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	5,406	1.5	95.4
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3,949	1.1	69.7
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	3,328	0.9	58.7
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2,626	0.7	46.3
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	2,445	0.7	43.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	57,793	15.6	1,020.1

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	352,112	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	111,245	31.6	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	53,811	15.3	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	27,647	7.9	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	20,363	5.8	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	18,703	5.3	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	11,675	3.3	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8,994	2.6	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	8,058	2.3	---
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	7,362	2.1	---
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	5,222	1.5	---
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	4,840	1.4	---
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4,456	1.3	---
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	4,037	1.1	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2,317	0.7	---
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,994	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	61,388	17.4	---
All races, both sexes, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	238,362	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	83,507	35.0	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	24,265	10.2	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	18,996	8.0	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	16,620	7.0	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	9,517	4.0	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	9,363	3.9	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5,208	2.2	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,010	2.1	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,528	1.9	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3,452	1.4	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3,044	1.3	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	2,903	1.2	---
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,278	1.0	---
14	Atherosclerosis (I70)	1,774	0.7	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,367	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	46,530	19.5	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	92,236	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	34,788	37.7	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	7,135	7.7	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	6,743	7.3	---
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	6,213	6.7	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4,341	4.7	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2,738	3.0	---
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,818	2.0	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,787	1.9	---
9	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,673	1.8	---
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,352	1.5	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,091	1.2	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	974	1.1	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	881	1.0	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	492	0.5	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	399	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	19,811	21.5	---
All races, both sexes, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	19,282	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7,799	40.4	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,290	6.7	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,207	6.3	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,084	5.6	---
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	783	4.1	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	449	2.3	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	399	2.1	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	371	1.9	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	335	1.7	---
10	Atherosclerosis (I70)	257	1.3	---
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	231	1.2	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	223	1.2	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	152	0.8	---
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	65	0.3	---
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	59	0.3	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	4,578	23.7	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, all ages				
...	All causes	1,201,942	100.0	814.8
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	315,706	26.3	214.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	290,069	24.1	196.6
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	78,941	6.6	53.5
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	59,260	4.9	40.2
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	54,524	4.5	37.0
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	36,006	3.0	24.4
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	26,308	2.2	17.8
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	25,650	2.1	17.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	22,094	1.8	15.0
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	21,151	1.8	14.3
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	17,866	1.5	12.1
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	15,522	1.3	10.5
13	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	14,717	1.2	10.0
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	11,300	0.9	7.7
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	9,415	0.8	6.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	203,413	16.9	137.9
All races, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	2,541	100.0	30.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	927	36.5	11.1
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	244	9.6	2.9
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	208	8.2	2.5
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	207	8.1	2.5
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	89	3.5	1.1
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	63	2.5	0.8
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	43	1.7	0.5
8	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	37	1.5	0.4
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	29	1.1	0.3
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	26	1.0	0.3
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	24	0.9	0.3
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	15	0.6	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	11	0.4	*
14	Meningococcal infection (A39)	10	0.4	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	9	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	599	23.6	7.2

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	1,551	100.0	15.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	618	39.8	6.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	258	16.6	2.6
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	90	5.8	0.9
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	78	5.0	0.8
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	49	3.2	0.5
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	33	2.1	0.3
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	26	1.7	0.3
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	25	1.6	0.2
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	24	1.5	0.2
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	17	1.1	*
11	Anemias (D50-D64)	9	0.6	*
12	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	8	0.5	*
13	Meningitis (G00,G03)	6	0.4	*
14	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4	0.3	*
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	4	0.3	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	4	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	298	19.2	3.0
All races, male, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	2,074	100.0	19.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	767	37.0	7.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	249	12.0	2.4
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	168	8.1	1.6
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	151	7.3	1.4
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	91	4.4	0.9
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	91	4.4	0.9
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	45	2.2	0.4
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	30	1.4	0.3
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	27	1.3	0.3
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	18	0.9	*
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	17	0.8	*
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	10	0.5	*
13	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	9	0.4	*
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	7	0.3	*
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	7	0.3	*
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7	0.3	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	7	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	373	18.0	3.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	9,918	100.0	90.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,697	47.4	43.0
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,990	20.1	18.2
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,262	12.7	11.5
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	416	4.2	3.8
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	236	2.4	2.2
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	140	1.4	1.3
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	39	0.4	0.4
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	36	0.4	0.3
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	36	0.4	0.3
10	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	32	0.3	0.3
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	26	0.3	0.2
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	24	0.2	0.2
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	24	0.2	0.2
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	23	0.2	0.2
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	20	0.2	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	917	9.2	8.4
All races, male, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	16,152	100.0	148.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	7,537	46.7	69.1
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	3,001	18.6	27.5
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,266	14.0	20.8
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	591	3.7	5.4
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	475	2.9	4.4
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	139	0.9	1.3
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	98	0.6	0.9
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	79	0.5	0.7
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	72	0.4	0.7
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	65	0.4	0.6
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	54	0.3	0.5
12	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	50	0.3	0.5
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	44	0.3	0.4
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	41	0.3	0.4
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	35	0.2	0.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,605	9.9	14.7

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	15,181	100.0	143.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,263	41.3	59.2
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2,370	15.6	22.4
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,087	13.7	19.7
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	833	5.5	7.9
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	742	4.9	7.0
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	256	1.7	2.4
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	146	1.0	1.4
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	135	0.9	1.3
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	106	0.7	1.0
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	83	0.5	0.8
11	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	69	0.5	0.7
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	66	0.4	0.6
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	64	0.4	0.6
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	45	0.3	0.4
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	42	0.3	0.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,874	12.3	17.7
All races, male, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	15,007	100.0	150.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,203	34.7	52.1
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,966	13.1	19.7
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,613	10.7	16.2
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,465	9.8	14.7
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,028	6.9	10.3
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	473	3.2	4.7
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	241	1.6	2.4
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	184	1.2	1.8
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	170	1.1	1.7
10	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	117	0.8	1.2
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	115	0.8	1.2
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	92	0.6	0.9
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	88	0.6	0.9
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	71	0.5	0.7
15	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	70	0.5	0.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,111	14.1	21.2

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	20,131	100.0	189.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,617	27.9	52.7
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,758	13.7	25.9
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,419	12.0	22.7
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,827	9.1	17.2
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,218	6.1	11.4
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,079	5.4	10.1
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	459	2.3	4.3
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	423	2.1	4.0
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	394	2.0	3.7
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	160	0.8	1.5
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	156	0.8	1.5
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	151	0.8	1.4
13	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	135	0.7	1.3
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	105	0.5	1.0
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	99	0.5	0.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,131	15.6	29.4
All races, male, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	32,019	100.0	285.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,814	21.3	60.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5,867	18.3	52.4
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4,152	13.0	37.1
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,646	8.3	23.6
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,750	5.5	15.6
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,207	3.8	10.8
7	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,051	3.3	9.4
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	856	2.7	7.6
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	769	2.4	6.9
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	307	1.0	2.7
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	306	1.0	2.7
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	292	0.9	2.6
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	291	0.9	2.6
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	283	0.9	2.5
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	170	0.5	1.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	5,258	16.4	46.9

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	49,018	100.0	435.3
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	10,974	22.4	97.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	9,086	18.5	80.7
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	7,519	15.3	66.8
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,926	6.0	26.0
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,327	4.7	20.7
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,817	3.7	16.1
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,381	2.8	12.3
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,353	2.8	12.0
9	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	959	2.0	8.5
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	763	1.6	6.8
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	617	1.3	5.5
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	532	1.1	4.7
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	476	1.0	4.2
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	472	1.0	4.2
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	297	0.6	2.6
...	All other causes (Residual)	7,519	15.3	66.8
All races, male, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	66,154	100.0	659.7
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	16,459	24.9	164.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	16,255	24.6	162.1
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,318	9.6	63.0
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3,190	4.8	31.8
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,650	4.0	26.4
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,134	3.2	21.3
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,129	3.2	21.2
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,446	2.2	14.4
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,341	2.0	13.4
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1,339	2.0	13.4
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	806	1.2	8.0
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	771	1.2	7.7
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	714	1.1	7.1
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	669	1.0	6.7
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	516	0.8	5.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	9,417	14.2	93.9

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	81,373	100.0	920.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	24,968	30.7	282.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	21,618	26.6	244.4
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,682	5.8	52.9
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,049	3.7	34.5
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,983	3.7	33.7
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,757	3.4	31.2
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2,427	3.0	27.4
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,115	2.6	23.9
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,100	1.4	12.4
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1,057	1.3	11.9
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,035	1.3	11.7
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	914	1.1	10.3
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	830	1.0	9.4
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	595	0.7	6.7
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	467	0.6	5.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	10,776	13.2	121.8
All races, male, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	87,614	100.0	1,373.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	30,380	34.7	476.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	23,559	26.9	369.3
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3,955	4.5	62.0
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,621	4.1	56.8
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,166	3.6	49.6
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3,140	3.6	49.2
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,112	2.4	33.1
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,348	1.5	21.1
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,342	1.5	21.0
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,109	1.3	17.4
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,047	1.2	16.4
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	678	0.8	10.6
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	537	0.6	8.4
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	445	0.5	7.0
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	438	0.5	6.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	10,737	12.3	168.3

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All races, male, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	98,721	100.0	2,040.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	35,401	35.9	731.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	25,860	26.2	534.4
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5,799	5.9	119.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3,963	4.0	81.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,903	4.0	80.7
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,668	2.7	55.1
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,649	1.7	34.1
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,634	1.7	33.8
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,359	1.4	28.1
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,336	1.4	27.6
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,063	1.1	22.0
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	735	0.7	15.2
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	733	0.7	15.1
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	538	0.5	11.1
15	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	499	0.5	10.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	11,581	11.7	239.3
All races, male, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	119,444	100.0	3,117.5
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	40,067	33.5	1,045.7
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	31,405	26.3	819.7
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	8,353	7.0	218.0
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,400	4.5	140.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,441	3.7	115.9
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,544	2.1	66.4
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,275	1.9	59.4
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,012	1.7	52.5
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,683	1.4	43.9
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,359	1.1	35.5
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,210	1.0	31.6
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,113	0.9	29.0
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	952	0.8	24.8
14	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	905	0.8	23.6
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	873	0.7	22.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	14,852	12.4	387.6

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	154,227	100.0	4,944.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	44,987	29.2	1,442.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	41,831	27.1	1,341.1
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	11,371	7.4	364.6
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8,097	5.3	259.6
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,225	3.4	167.5
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3,372	2.2	108.1
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,348	2.2	107.3
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,278	2.1	105.1
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	2,966	1.9	95.1
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,372	1.5	76.0
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,349	1.5	75.3
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,281	0.8	41.1
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,193	0.8	38.2
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,162	0.8	37.3
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,152	0.7	36.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	20,243	13.1	649.0
All races, male, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	173,088	100.0	7,942.7
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	50,547	29.2	2,319.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	41,447	23.9	1,901.9
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	11,796	6.8	541.3
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	10,210	5.9	468.5
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	5,329	3.1	244.5
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,061	2.9	232.2
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4,943	2.9	226.8
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,968	2.3	182.1
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,846	2.2	176.5
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	3,174	1.8	145.6
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,565	1.5	117.7
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,867	1.1	85.7
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,573	0.9	72.2
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,326	0.8	60.8
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,285	0.7	59.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	24,151	14.0	1,108.3

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	141,809	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	45,445	32.0	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	25,605	18.1	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	9,252	6.5	---
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	8,231	5.8	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	6,012	4.2	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5,064	3.6	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,650	2.6	---
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,620	2.6	---
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,306	2.3	---
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,638	1.9	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,058	1.5	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	2,056	1.4	---
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,484	1.0	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	958	0.7	---
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	947	0.7	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	21,483	15.1	---
All races, male, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	75,514	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	26,686	35.3	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	10,020	13.3	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,003	6.6	---
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3,658	4.8	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	3,622	4.8	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3,417	4.5	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,022	2.7	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,835	2.4	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,455	1.9	---
10	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,298	1.7	---
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,078	1.4	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	967	1.3	---
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	869	1.2	---
14	Atherosclerosis (I70)	498	0.7	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	490	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	12,596	16.7	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, male, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	21,168	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8,006	37.8	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,125	10.0	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,327	6.3	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,198	5.7	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,028	4.9	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	843	4.0	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	600	2.8	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	485	2.3	---
9	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	376	1.8	---
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	311	1.5	---
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	283	1.3	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	233	1.1	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	199	0.9	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	179	0.8	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	100	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,875	18.3	---
All races, male, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	3,087	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,236	40.0	---
2	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	221	7.2	---
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	214	6.9	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	160	5.2	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	120	3.9	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	113	3.7	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	94	3.0	---
8	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	66	2.1	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	66	2.1	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	52	1.7	---
11	Atherosclerosis (I70)	35	1.1	---
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	33	1.1	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	30	1.0	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	16	0.5	---
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	11	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	620	20.1	---

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, all ages				
...	All causes	1,224,322	100.0	806.1
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	315,930	25.8	208.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	269,819	22.0	177.6
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	82,595	6.7	54.4
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	65,323	5.3	43.0
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	51,281	4.2	33.8
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	42,658	3.5	28.1
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	36,443	3.0	24.0
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	30,676	2.5	20.2
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	23,250	1.9	15.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	18,712	1.5	12.3
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	14,440	1.2	9.5
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	9,689	0.8	6.4
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	8,266	0.7	5.4
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7,971	0.7	5.2
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	7,138	0.6	4.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	240,131	19.6	158.1
All races, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	2,090	100.0	26.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	683	32.7	8.6
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	271	13.0	3.4
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	170	8.1	2.1
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	158	7.6	2.0
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	72	3.4	0.9
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	62	3.0	0.8
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	45	2.2	0.6
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	36	1.7	0.5
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	28	1.3	0.4
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	28	1.3	0.4
11	Meningitis (G00,G03)	14	0.7	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	14	0.7	*
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	11	0.5	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	11	0.5	*
15	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	8	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	479	22.9	6.0

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	1,184	100.0	12.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	426	36.0	4.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	201	17.0	2.1
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	92	7.8	1.0
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	71	6.0	0.7
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	41	3.5	0.4
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	23	1.9	0.2
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	19	1.6	*
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	19	1.6	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	15	1.3	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	14	1.2	*
11	Anemias (D50-D64)	7	0.6	*
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	7	0.6	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5	0.4	*
14	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3	0.3	*
14	Meningitis (G00,G03)	3	0.3	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	3	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	235	19.8	2.4
All races, female, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	1,340	100.0	13.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	447	33.4	4.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	199	14.9	2.0
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	73	5.4	0.7
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	72	5.4	0.7
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	71	5.3	0.7
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	65	4.9	0.6
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	21	1.6	0.2
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	20	1.5	0.2
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	18	1.3	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	17	1.3	*
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	12	0.9	*
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	11	0.8	*
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	10	0.7	*
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	6	0.4	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	5	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	293	21.9	2.9

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	3,821	100.0	36.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,962	51.3	18.9
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	301	7.9	2.9
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	293	7.7	2.8
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	259	6.8	2.5
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	124	3.2	1.2
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	88	2.3	0.8
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	37	1.0	0.4
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	37	1.0	0.4
9	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	33	0.9	0.3
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	29	0.8	0.3
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	26	0.7	0.3
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	22	0.6	0.2
13	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	18	0.5	*
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	17	0.4	*
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	15	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	560	14.7	5.4
All races, female, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	4,996	100.0	49.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,033	40.7	19.9
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	425	8.5	4.2
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	378	7.6	3.7
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	368	7.4	3.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	241	4.8	2.4
6	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	146	2.9	1.4
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	93	1.9	0.9
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	68	1.4	0.7
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	58	1.2	0.6
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	51	1.0	0.5
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	46	0.9	0.5
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	45	0.9	0.4
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	36	0.7	0.4
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	31	0.6	0.3
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	23	0.5	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	954	19.1	9.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	5,716	100.0	56.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,779	31.1	17.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	648	11.3	6.4
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	473	8.3	4.7
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	425	7.4	4.2
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	377	6.6	3.7
6	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	173	3.0	1.7
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	165	2.9	1.6
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	115	2.0	1.1
9	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	89	1.6	0.9
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	77	1.3	0.8
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	64	1.1	0.6
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	58	1.0	0.6
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	47	0.8	0.5
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	45	0.8	0.4
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	39	0.7	0.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,142	20.0	11.3
All races, female, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	7,048	100.0	72.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,709	24.2	17.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,238	17.6	12.7
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	632	9.0	6.5
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	459	6.5	4.7
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	317	4.5	3.3
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	288	4.1	3.0
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	182	2.6	1.9
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	160	2.3	1.6
9	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	151	2.1	1.6
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	102	1.4	1.0
11	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	85	1.2	0.9
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	79	1.1	0.8
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	75	1.1	0.8
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	74	1.0	0.8
15	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	71	1.0	0.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,426	20.2	14.7

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	11,368	100.0	107.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,571	22.6	24.4
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,191	19.3	20.8
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,192	10.5	11.3
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	696	6.1	6.6
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	512	4.5	4.9
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	384	3.4	3.6
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	323	2.8	3.1
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	285	2.5	2.7
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	250	2.2	2.4
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	167	1.5	1.6
11	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	140	1.2	1.3
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	135	1.2	1.3
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	118	1.0	1.1
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	117	1.0	1.1
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	95	0.8	0.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,192	19.3	20.8
All races, female, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	19,525	100.0	173.1
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	5,367	27.5	47.6
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,912	14.9	25.8
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,522	12.9	22.4
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	830	4.3	7.4
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	735	3.8	6.5
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	669	3.4	5.9
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	635	3.3	5.6
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	530	2.7	4.7
9	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	367	1.9	3.3
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	328	1.7	2.9
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	251	1.3	2.2
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	244	1.2	2.2
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	209	1.1	1.9
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	123	0.6	1.1
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	108	0.6	1.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,695	18.9	32.8

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	30,250	100.0	262.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	10,088	33.3	87.5
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,393	14.5	38.1
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,202	10.6	27.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,204	4.0	10.4
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,037	3.4	9.0
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	967	3.2	8.4
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	799	2.6	6.9
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	703	2.3	6.1
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	660	2.2	5.7
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	423	1.4	3.7
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	359	1.2	3.1
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	335	1.1	2.9
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	326	1.1	2.8
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	321	1.1	2.8
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	190	0.6	1.6
...	All other causes (Residual)	5,243	17.3	45.5
All races, female, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	39,609	100.0	378.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	14,905	37.6	142.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6,269	15.8	60.0
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,636	6.7	25.2
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,655	4.2	15.8
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,378	3.5	13.2
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,263	3.2	12.1
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,158	2.9	11.1
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	883	2.2	8.4
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	590	1.5	5.6
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	572	1.4	5.5
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	483	1.2	4.6
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	462	1.2	4.4
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	454	1.1	4.3
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	296	0.7	2.8
15	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	260	0.7	2.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	6,345	16.0	60.7

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	51,680	100.0	551.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	21,089	40.8	224.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8,946	17.3	95.4
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2,272	4.4	24.2
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,184	4.2	23.3
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,083	4.0	22.2
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,054	4.0	21.9
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,171	2.3	12.5
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	845	1.6	9.0
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	834	1.6	8.9
10	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	677	1.3	7.2
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	561	1.1	6.0
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	410	0.8	4.4
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	398	0.8	4.2
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	262	0.5	2.8
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	239	0.5	2.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	7,655	14.8	81.6
All races, female, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	60,734	100.0	869.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	25,017	41.2	358.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	11,354	18.7	162.6
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3,721	6.1	53.3
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,578	4.2	36.9
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,567	4.2	36.8
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,515	2.5	21.7
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,081	1.8	15.5
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,054	1.7	15.1
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	951	1.6	13.6
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	716	1.2	10.3
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	495	0.8	7.1
12	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	443	0.7	6.3
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	344	0.6	4.9
14	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	232	0.4	3.3
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	227	0.4	3.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	8,439	13.9	120.8

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	73,162	100.0	1,321.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	28,419	38.8	513.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	14,287	19.5	258.0
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5,802	7.9	104.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3,371	4.6	60.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,181	4.3	57.5
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,527	2.1	27.6
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,441	2.0	26.0
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,284	1.8	23.2
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,040	1.4	18.8
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	924	1.3	16.7
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	644	0.9	11.6
12	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	501	0.7	9.0
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	399	0.5	7.2
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	361	0.5	6.5
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	241	0.3	4.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	9,740	13.3	175.9
All races, female, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	98,766	100.0	2,097.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	33,667	34.1	714.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	21,200	21.5	450.1
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	8,282	8.4	175.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,489	5.6	116.5
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,958	4.0	84.0
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,017	2.0	42.8
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,767	1.8	37.5
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,761	1.8	37.4
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,650	1.7	35.0
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,602	1.6	34.0
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	985	1.0	20.9
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	924	0.9	19.6
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	610	0.6	13.0
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	587	0.6	12.5
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	576	0.6	12.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	13,691	13.9	290.7

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	143,483	100.0	3,366.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	39,516	27.5	927.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	34,316	23.9	805.2
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	11,399	7.9	267.5
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	9,642	6.7	226.2
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,246	3.7	123.1
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	4,506	3.1	105.7
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,099	2.2	72.7
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,993	2.1	70.2
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,656	1.9	62.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,522	1.8	59.2
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,564	1.1	36.7
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,323	0.9	31.0
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,030	0.7	24.2
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	931	0.6	21.8
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	896	0.6	21.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	21,844	15.2	512.5
All races, female, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	196,540	100.0	5,637.2
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	53,757	27.4	1,541.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	38,939	19.8	1,116.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	15,770	8.0	452.3
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	12,840	6.5	368.3
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	10,114	5.1	290.1
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	6,231	3.2	178.7
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5,360	2.7	153.7
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4,191	2.1	120.2
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,858	2.0	110.7
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3,309	1.7	94.9
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,376	1.2	68.1
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,232	1.1	64.0
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,461	0.7	41.9
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,300	0.7	37.3
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,160	0.6	33.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	33,642	17.1	964.9

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	210,303	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	65,800	31.3	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	28,206	13.4	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	18,395	8.7	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	14,351	6.8	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	10,472	5.0	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6,611	3.1	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,374	2.6	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4,408	2.1	---
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,056	1.9	---
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3,164	1.5	---
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,972	1.4	---
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,202	1.0	---
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,981	0.9	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,359	0.6	---
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	1,144	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	39,808	18.9	---
All races, female, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	162,848	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	56,821	34.9	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	14,245	8.7	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	13,993	8.6	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	12,998	8.0	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6,100	3.7	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5,705	3.5	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,186	2.0	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,175	1.9	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,073	1.9	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,583	1.6	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,077	1.3	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,605	1.0	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	1,276	0.8	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,200	0.7	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	877	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	33,934	20.8	---

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	71,068	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	26,782	37.7	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,808	8.2	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	5,715	8.0	---
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4,088	5.8	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3,143	4.4	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,895	2.7	---
7	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,390	2.0	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,333	1.9	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,187	1.7	---
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,041	1.5	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	741	1.0	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	715	1.0	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	682	1.0	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	313	0.4	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	299	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	15,936	22.4	---
All races, female, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	16,195	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6,563	40.5	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,130	7.0	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,087	6.7	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	863	5.3	---
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	569	3.5	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	397	2.5	---
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	305	1.9	---
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	286	1.8	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	241	1.5	---
10	Atherosclerosis (I70)	222	1.4	---
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	198	1.2	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	157	1.0	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	122	0.8	---
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	54	0.3	---
15	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	52	0.3	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,949	24.4	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	2,077,549	100.0	858.1
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	545,974	26.3	225.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	482,575	23.2	199.3
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	115,864	5.6	47.9
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	114,993	5.5	47.5
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	103,853	5.0	42.9
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	67,088	3.2	27.7
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	57,204	2.8	23.6
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	49,401	2.4	20.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	35,793	1.7	14.8
10	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	30,138	1.5	12.4
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	27,373	1.3	11.3
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	24,191	1.2	10.0
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	18,517	0.9	7.6
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	18,264	0.9	7.5
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	15,136	0.7	6.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	371,185	17.9	153.3
White, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	3,233	100.0	25.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,170	36.2	9.2
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	376	11.6	3.0
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	286	8.8	2.3
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	190	5.9	1.5
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	110	3.4	0.9
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	83	2.6	0.7
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	59	1.8	0.5
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	51	1.6	0.4
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	40	1.2	0.3
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	39	1.2	0.3
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	26	0.8	0.2
12	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	17	0.5	*
13	Meningitis (G00,G03)	15	0.5	*
14	Meningococcal infection (A39)	13	0.4	*
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	13	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	745	23.0	5.9

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	1,961	100.0	12.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	726	37.0	4.7
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	367	18.7	2.4
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	139	7.1	0.9
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	93	4.7	0.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	62	3.2	0.4
6	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	31	1.6	0.2
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	31	1.6	0.2
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	30	1.5	0.2
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	29	1.5	0.2
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	24	1.2	0.2
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	11	0.6	*
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	6	0.3	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	6	0.3	*
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	6	0.3	*
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	5	0.3	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5	0.3	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	5	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	385	19.6	2.5
White, both sexes, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	2,499	100.0	15.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	942	37.7	5.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	353	14.1	2.2
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	164	6.6	1.0
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	134	5.4	0.8
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	120	4.8	0.8
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	108	4.3	0.7
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	37	1.5	0.2
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	34	1.4	0.2
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	28	1.1	0.2
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	22	0.9	0.1
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	18	0.7	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	13	0.5	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	9	0.4	*
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	8	0.3	*
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	7	0.3	*
15	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	7	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	495	19.8	3.1

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	10,142	100.0	61.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,611	55.3	33.8
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,293	12.7	7.8
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	894	8.8	5.4
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	531	5.2	3.2
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	238	2.3	1.4
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	169	1.7	1.0
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	59	0.6	0.4
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	59	0.6	0.4
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	37	0.4	0.2
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	36	0.4	0.2
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	26	0.3	0.2
12	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	23	0.2	0.1
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	21	0.2	0.1
13	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	21	0.2	0.1
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	18	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,106	10.9	6.7
White, both sexes, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	15,729	100.0	94.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8,213	52.2	49.5
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,184	13.9	13.2
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,319	8.4	7.9
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	763	4.9	4.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	492	3.1	3.0
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	174	1.1	1.0
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	100	0.6	0.6
8	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	93	0.6	0.6
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	80	0.5	0.5
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	79	0.5	0.5
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	53	0.3	0.3
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	50	0.3	0.3
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	48	0.3	0.3
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	48	0.3	0.3
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	34	0.2	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,999	12.7	12.0

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	15,214	100.0	93.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,759	44.4	41.6
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,179	14.3	13.4
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,106	7.3	6.8
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,069	7.0	6.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	782	5.1	4.8
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	182	1.2	1.1
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	143	0.9	0.9
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	124	0.8	0.8
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	124	0.8	0.8
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	105	0.7	0.6
11	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	92	0.6	0.6
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	80	0.5	0.5
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	64	0.4	0.4
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	52	0.3	0.3
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	49	0.3	0.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,304	15.1	14.2
White, both sexes, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	15,913	100.0	103.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,714	35.9	37.1
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,080	13.1	13.5
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,730	10.9	11.2
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,361	8.6	8.8
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	796	5.0	5.2
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	281	1.8	1.8
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	263	1.7	1.7
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	221	1.4	1.4
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	201	1.3	1.3
10	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	167	1.0	1.1
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	133	0.8	0.9
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	114	0.7	0.7
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	106	0.7	0.7
14	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	88	0.6	0.6
15	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	77	0.5	0.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,581	16.2	16.7

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White, both sexes, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	23,227	100.0	137.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,497	28.0	38.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,391	14.6	20.1
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,777	12.0	16.5
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,688	11.6	15.9
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	797	3.4	4.7
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	677	2.9	4.0
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	588	2.5	3.5
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	474	2.0	2.8
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	436	1.9	2.6
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	214	0.9	1.3
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	209	0.9	1.2
12	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	182	0.8	1.1
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	146	0.6	0.9
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	143	0.6	0.8
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	94	0.4	0.6
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,914	16.9	23.2
White, both sexes, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	38,833	100.0	214.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8,150	21.0	44.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7,364	19.0	40.6
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6,191	15.9	34.1
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,168	8.2	17.5
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,548	4.0	8.5
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,083	2.8	6.0
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	967	2.5	5.3
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	953	2.5	5.3
9	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	772	2.0	4.3
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	445	1.1	2.5
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	414	1.1	2.3
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	363	0.9	2.0
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	332	0.9	1.8
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	268	0.7	1.5
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	199	0.5	1.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	6,616	17.0	36.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	60,500	100.0	323.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	14,996	24.8	80.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	11,376	18.8	60.9
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8,884	14.7	47.5
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,613	6.0	19.3
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,891	4.8	15.5
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,670	2.8	8.9
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,568	2.6	8.4
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,076	1.8	5.8
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,055	1.7	5.6
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	914	1.5	4.9
11	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	737	1.2	3.9
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	606	1.0	3.2
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	591	1.0	3.2
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	531	0.9	2.8
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	285	0.5	1.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	9,707	16.0	51.9
White, both sexes, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	81,469	100.0	479.5
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	24,799	30.4	146.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	17,086	21.0	100.6
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	7,361	9.0	43.3
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3,719	4.6	21.9
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,311	4.1	19.5
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,491	3.1	14.7
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,465	3.0	14.5
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2,160	2.7	12.7
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1,501	1.8	8.8
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	918	1.1	5.4
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	886	1.1	5.2
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	819	1.0	4.8
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	803	1.0	4.7
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	546	0.7	3.2
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	435	0.5	2.6
...	All other causes (Residual)	12,169	14.9	71.6

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	105,462	100.0	686.5
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	37,756	35.8	245.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	23,701	22.5	154.3
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,580	5.3	36.3
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	4,100	3.9	26.7
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,844	3.6	25.0
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3,587	3.4	23.3
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3,271	3.1	21.3
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,634	2.5	17.1
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,318	1.2	8.6
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,250	1.2	8.1
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1,110	1.1	7.2
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,108	1.1	7.2
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	604	0.6	3.9
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	487	0.5	3.2
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	483	0.5	3.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	14,629	13.9	95.2
White, both sexes, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	121,646	100.0	1,064.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	46,665	38.4	408.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	28,014	23.0	245.0
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	6,900	5.7	60.4
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,638	3.8	40.6
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4,146	3.4	36.3
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,934	3.2	34.4
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,698	2.2	23.6
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,688	1.4	14.8
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,625	1.3	14.2
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,611	1.3	14.1
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,449	1.2	12.7
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	757	0.6	6.6
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	639	0.5	5.6
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	622	0.5	5.4
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	516	0.4	4.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	15,744	12.9	137.7

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	142,813	100.0	1,607.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	54,405	38.1	612.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	32,517	22.8	366.0
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	10,609	7.4	119.4
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,546	3.9	62.4
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,351	3.7	60.2
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,510	2.5	39.5
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,282	1.6	25.7
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,181	1.5	24.5
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,996	1.4	22.5
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,924	1.3	21.7
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,223	0.9	13.8
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	935	0.7	10.5
13	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	910	0.6	10.2
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	897	0.6	10.1
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	820	0.6	9.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	17,707	12.4	199.3
White, both sexes, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	185,765	100.0	2,519.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	63,875	34.4	866.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	43,856	23.6	594.8
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	15,446	8.3	209.5
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8,684	4.7	117.8
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	6,564	3.5	89.0
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,756	2.0	50.9
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,176	1.7	43.1
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3,137	1.7	42.5
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,672	1.4	36.2
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	2,523	1.4	34.2
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,142	1.2	29.1
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,564	0.8	21.2
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,367	0.7	18.5
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,283	0.7	17.4
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,269	0.7	17.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	24,451	13.2	331.6

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	261,623	100.0	4,020.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	74,952	28.6	1,151.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	66,185	25.3	1,017.2
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	21,241	8.1	326.4
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	15,070	5.8	231.6
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8,499	3.2	130.6
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	6,822	2.6	104.8
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5,570	2.1	85.6
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,399	2.1	83.0
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5,155	2.0	79.2
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4,027	1.5	61.9
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	3,484	1.3	53.5
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,058	0.8	31.6
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,002	0.8	30.8
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,981	0.8	30.4
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,918	0.7	29.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	37,260	14.2	572.6
White, both sexes, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	331,393	100.0	6,550.9
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	93,161	28.1	1,841.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	72,198	21.8	1,427.2
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	23,149	7.0	457.6
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	22,914	6.9	453.0
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	14,304	4.3	282.8
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	9,399	2.8	185.8
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	9,180	2.8	181.5
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	7,130	2.2	140.9
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6,905	2.1	136.5
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	5,157	1.6	101.9
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4,974	1.5	98.3
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3,208	1.0	63.4
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	3,038	0.9	60.1
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2,417	0.7	47.8
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	2,232	0.7	44.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	52,027	15.7	1,028.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	321,805	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	101,898	31.7	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	48,803	15.2	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	25,037	7.8	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	19,044	5.9	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	17,692	5.5	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	10,639	3.3	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7,654	2.4	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	7,037	2.2	---
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,936	2.2	---
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	4,634	1.4	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4,565	1.4	---
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3,803	1.2	---
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	3,748	1.2	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2,135	0.7	---
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,844	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	56,336	17.5	---
White, both sexes, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	218,724	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	77,071	35.2	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	21,990	10.1	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	17,341	7.9	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	15,468	7.1	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	8,841	4.0	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	8,693	4.0	---
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,754	2.2	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4,536	2.1	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,864	1.8	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,957	1.4	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	2,668	1.2	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,629	1.2	---
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,170	1.0	---
14	Atherosclerosis (I70)	1,663	0.8	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,266	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	42,813	19.6	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	84,172	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	31,985	38.0	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	6,504	7.7	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	6,228	7.4	---
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	5,540	6.6	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3,945	4.7	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2,534	3.0	---
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,708	2.0	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,561	1.9	---
9	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,419	1.7	---
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,161	1.4	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,010	1.2	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	831	1.0	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	822	1.0	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	475	0.6	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	363	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	18,086	21.5	---
White, both sexes, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	16,844	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6,850	40.7	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,127	6.7	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,087	6.5	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	960	5.7	---
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	672	4.0	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	363	2.2	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	358	2.1	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	339	2.0	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	261	1.5	---
10	Atherosclerosis (I70)	238	1.4	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	190	1.1	---
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	188	1.1	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	115	0.7	---
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	55	0.3	---
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	53	0.3	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,988	23.7	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, all ages				
...	All causes	1,022,328	100.0	852.3
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	272,117	26.6	226.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	250,322	24.5	208.7
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	66,843	6.5	55.7
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	54,043	5.3	45.1
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	45,198	4.4	37.7
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	29,060	2.8	24.2
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	23,767	2.3	19.8
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	22,310	2.2	18.6
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	19,654	1.9	16.4
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	17,715	1.7	14.8
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	15,739	1.5	13.1
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	12,450	1.2	10.4
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	10,706	1.0	8.9
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7,984	0.8	6.7
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	6,990	0.7	5.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	167,430	16.4	139.6
White, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	1,781	100.0	27.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	675	37.9	10.4
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	191	10.7	2.9
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	162	9.1	2.5
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	109	6.1	1.7
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	60	3.4	0.9
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	43	2.4	0.7
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	29	1.6	0.4
8	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	26	1.5	0.4
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	19	1.1	*
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	17	1.0	*
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	16	0.9	*
12	Meningococcal infection (A39)	9	0.5	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	8	0.4	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	8	0.4	*
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	5	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	404	22.7	6.2

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	1,111	100.0	14.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	427	38.4	5.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	207	18.6	2.6
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	76	6.8	1.0
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	40	3.6	0.5
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	35	3.2	0.4
6	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	19	1.7	*
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	19	1.7	*
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	18	1.6	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	17	1.5	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	16	1.4	*
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	7	0.6	*
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	4	0.4	*
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	3	0.3	*
13	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3	0.3	*
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	3	0.3	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	3	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	214	19.3	2.7
White, male, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	1,528	100.0	18.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	590	38.6	7.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	194	12.7	2.4
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	115	7.5	1.4
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	90	5.9	1.1
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	72	4.7	0.9
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	64	4.2	0.8
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	27	1.8	0.3
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	21	1.4	0.3
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	15	1.0	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	14	0.9	*
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	14	0.9	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8	0.5	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	7	0.5	*
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	6	0.4	*
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	5	0.3	*
15	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	5	0.3	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	5	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	276	18.1	3.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	7,168	100.0	84.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,918	54.7	45.9
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,051	14.7	12.3
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	739	10.3	8.7
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	329	4.6	3.9
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	164	2.3	1.9
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	104	1.5	1.2
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	31	0.4	0.4
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	28	0.4	0.3
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	19	0.3	*
9	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	19	0.3	*
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	17	0.2	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	15	0.2	*
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	12	0.2	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	12	0.2	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	11	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	699	9.8	8.2
White, male, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	12,007	100.0	139.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,505	54.2	75.5
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,888	15.7	21.9
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,085	9.0	12.6
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	476	4.0	5.5
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	341	2.8	4.0
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	102	0.8	1.2
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	60	0.5	0.7
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	47	0.4	0.5
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	45	0.4	0.5
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	31	0.3	0.4
10	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	31	0.3	0.4
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	30	0.2	0.3
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	28	0.2	0.3
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	26	0.2	0.3
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	20	0.2	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,292	10.8	15.0

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	11,114	100.0	132.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,272	47.4	62.8
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,764	15.9	21.0
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	894	8.0	10.6
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	593	5.3	7.1
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	552	5.0	6.6
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	116	1.0	1.4
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	92	0.8	1.1
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	78	0.7	0.9
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	72	0.6	0.9
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	60	0.5	0.7
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	42	0.4	0.5
11	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	42	0.4	0.5
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	38	0.3	0.5
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	33	0.3	0.4
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	30	0.3	0.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,436	12.9	17.1
White, male, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	10,969	100.0	138.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,292	39.1	54.3
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,677	15.3	21.2
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	985	9.0	12.5
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	803	7.3	10.2
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	626	5.7	7.9
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	213	1.9	2.7
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	146	1.3	1.8
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	141	1.3	1.8
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	123	1.1	1.6
10	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	96	0.9	1.2
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	73	0.7	0.9
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	68	0.6	0.9
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	57	0.5	0.7
14	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	47	0.4	0.6
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	32	0.3	0.4
15	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	32	0.3	0.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,558	14.2	19.7

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	15,107	100.0	176.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,667	30.9	54.4
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,142	14.2	25.0
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,938	12.8	22.6
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,454	9.6	16.9
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	575	3.8	6.7
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	530	3.5	6.2
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	396	2.6	4.6
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	281	1.9	3.3
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	239	1.6	2.8
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	113	0.7	1.3
11	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	111	0.7	1.3
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	108	0.7	1.3
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	81	0.5	0.9
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	71	0.5	0.8
15	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	69	0.5	0.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,332	15.4	27.2
White, male, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	24,663	100.0	269.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,726	23.2	62.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,499	18.2	49.2
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,272	13.3	35.8
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,406	9.8	26.3
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,028	4.2	11.2
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	897	3.6	9.8
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	613	2.5	6.7
8	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	556	2.3	6.1
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	510	2.1	5.6
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	236	1.0	2.6
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	233	0.9	2.5
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	213	0.9	2.3
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	198	0.8	2.2
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	171	0.7	1.9
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	123	0.5	1.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,982	16.1	43.6

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	38,112	100.0	408.3
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8,386	22.0	89.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7,203	18.9	77.2
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,228	16.3	66.7
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,711	7.1	29.0
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,025	5.3	21.7
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,022	2.7	10.9
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	901	2.4	9.7
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	900	2.4	9.6
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	652	1.7	7.0
10	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	532	1.4	5.7
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	498	1.3	5.3
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	347	0.9	3.7
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	337	0.9	3.6
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	329	0.9	3.5
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	203	0.5	2.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	5,838	15.3	62.5
White, male, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	51,569	100.0	612.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	12,960	25.1	154.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	12,772	24.8	151.8
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,152	10.0	61.2
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,747	5.3	32.6
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,481	4.8	29.5
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,561	3.0	18.5
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,379	2.7	16.4
8	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1,118	2.2	13.3
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,106	2.1	13.1
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	672	1.3	8.0
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	527	1.0	6.3
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	527	1.0	6.3
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	483	0.9	5.7
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	378	0.7	4.5
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	289	0.6	3.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	7,417	14.4	88.1

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	64,935	100.0	861.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	20,472	31.5	271.5
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	17,180	26.5	227.9
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,834	5.9	50.9
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,590	4.0	34.4
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,289	3.5	30.4
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2,103	3.2	27.9
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,988	3.1	26.4
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,848	2.8	24.5
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	811	1.2	10.8
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	730	1.1	9.7
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	711	1.1	9.4
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	670	1.0	8.9
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	408	0.6	5.4
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	375	0.6	5.0
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	359	0.6	4.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	8,567	13.2	113.6
White, male, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	72,226	100.0	1,309.5
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	25,597	35.4	464.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	19,227	26.6	348.6
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3,492	4.8	63.3
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,805	3.9	50.9
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,649	3.7	48.0
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,262	3.1	41.0
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,874	2.6	34.0
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,271	1.8	23.0
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	948	1.3	17.2
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	852	1.2	15.4
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	819	1.1	14.8
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	468	0.6	8.5
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	468	0.6	8.5
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	343	0.5	6.2
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	342	0.5	6.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	8,809	12.2	159.7

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	82,594	100.0	1,973.1
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	30,182	36.5	721.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	21,320	25.8	509.3
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5,231	6.3	125.0
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,070	3.7	73.3
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3,002	3.6	71.7
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,289	2.8	54.7
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,461	1.8	34.9
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,165	1.4	27.8
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,095	1.3	26.2
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,037	1.3	24.8
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	997	1.2	23.8
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	637	0.8	15.2
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	488	0.6	11.7
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	473	0.6	11.3
15	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	455	0.6	10.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	9,692	11.7	231.5
White, male, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	102,331	100.0	3,060.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	34,731	33.9	1,038.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	26,616	26.0	795.9
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7,685	7.5	229.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4,310	4.2	128.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,588	3.5	107.3
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,213	2.2	66.2
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,753	1.7	52.4
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,715	1.7	51.3
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,336	1.3	40.0
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,247	1.2	37.3
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,091	1.1	32.6
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,031	1.0	30.8
13	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	865	0.8	25.9
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	862	0.8	25.8
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	742	0.7	22.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	12,546	12.3	375.2

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	136,662	100.0	4,914.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	40,029	29.3	1,439.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	36,883	27.0	1,326.3
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	10,527	7.7	378.5
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	6,946	5.1	249.8
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,407	3.2	158.5
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,002	2.2	107.9
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,963	2.2	106.5
8	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	2,735	2.0	98.3
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,724	2.0	98.0
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,240	1.6	80.5
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,969	1.4	70.8
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,191	0.9	42.8
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,098	0.8	39.5
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,056	0.8	38.0
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,012	0.7	36.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	17,880	13.1	642.9
White, male, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	156,342	100.0	7,982.5
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	45,742	29.3	2,335.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	37,287	23.8	1,903.8
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	10,959	7.0	559.5
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	9,095	5.8	464.4
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	4,966	3.2	253.6
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4,419	2.8	225.6
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,378	2.8	223.5
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,582	2.3	182.9
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,433	2.2	175.3
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	3,023	1.9	154.3
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,205	1.4	112.6
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,714	1.1	87.5
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,275	0.8	65.1
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,224	0.8	62.5
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,195	0.8	61.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	21,845	14.0	1,115.4

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	130,335	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	42,029	32.2	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	23,229	17.8	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8,411	6.5	---
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7,708	5.9	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	5,646	4.3	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4,624	3.5	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,275	2.5	---
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,172	2.4	---
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,113	2.4	---
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,540	1.9	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,912	1.5	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,830	1.4	---
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,278	1.0	---
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	880	0.7	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	878	0.7	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	19,810	15.2	---
White, male, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	69,431	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	24,773	35.7	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	9,064	13.1	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4,552	6.6	---
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3,423	4.9	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	3,378	4.9	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3,104	4.5	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,802	2.6	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,730	2.5	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,274	1.8	---
10	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,202	1.7	---
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,029	1.5	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	842	1.2	---
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	745	1.1	---
14	Atherosclerosis (I70)	468	0.7	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	447	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	11,598	16.7	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	19,209	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7,342	38.2	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,863	9.7	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,206	6.3	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,073	5.6	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	939	4.9	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	760	4.0	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	532	2.8	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	456	2.4	---
9	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	354	1.8	---
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	271	1.4	---
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	236	1.2	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	204	1.1	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	182	0.9	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	175	0.9	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	92	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,524	18.3	---
White, male, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	2,647	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,071	40.5	---
2	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	190	7.2	---
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	178	6.7	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	142	5.4	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	109	4.1	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	98	3.7	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	74	2.8	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	59	2.2	---
9	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	56	2.1	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	41	1.5	---
11	Atherosclerosis (I70)	32	1.2	---
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	26	1.0	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	23	0.9	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	16	0.6	---
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	9	0.3	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	523	19.8	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, all ages				
...	All causes	1,055,221	100.0	863.9
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	273,857	26.0	224.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	232,253	22.0	190.1
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	70,666	6.7	57.9
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	60,950	5.8	49.9
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	47,434	4.5	38.8
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	37,010	3.5	30.3
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	28,144	2.7	23.0
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	27,091	2.6	22.2
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	18,078	1.7	14.8
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	14,923	1.4	12.2
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	11,274	1.1	9.2
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	8,452	0.8	6.9
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	7,811	0.7	6.4
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7,152	0.7	5.9
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	6,371	0.6	5.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	203,755	19.3	166.8
White, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	1,452	100.0	23.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	495	34.1	8.0
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	185	12.7	3.0
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	124	8.5	2.0
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	81	5.6	1.3
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	50	3.4	0.8
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	40	2.8	0.6
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	32	2.2	0.5
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	30	2.1	0.5
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	23	1.6	0.4
10	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	14	1.0	*
11	Meningitis (G00,G03)	11	0.8	*
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	9	0.6	*
12	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	9	0.6	*
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	8	0.6	*
15	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	5	0.3	*
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	5	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	331	22.8	5.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	850	100.0	11.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	299	35.2	4.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	160	18.8	2.1
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	63	7.4	0.8
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	53	6.2	0.7
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	27	3.2	0.4
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	15	1.8	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	12	1.4	*
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	12	1.4	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11	1.3	*
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	6	0.7	*
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4	0.5	*
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	4	0.5	*
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	3	0.4	*
13	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3	0.4	*
15	Meningococcal infection (A39)	2	0.2	*
15	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	2	0.2	*
15	Meningitis (G00,G03)	2	0.2	*
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	2	0.2	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	2	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	168	19.8	2.2
White, female, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	971	100.0	12.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	352	36.3	4.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	159	16.4	2.0
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	49	5.0	0.6
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	48	4.9	0.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	44	4.5	0.6
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	44	4.5	0.6
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	14	1.4	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	13	1.3	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	10	1.0	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	7	0.7	*
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5	0.5	*
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	4	0.4	*
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	4	0.4	*
12	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	4	0.4	*
15	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	3	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	211	21.7	2.7

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	2,974	100.0	36.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,693	56.9	21.0
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	242	8.1	3.0
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	202	6.8	2.5
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	155	5.2	1.9
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	74	2.5	0.9
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	65	2.2	0.8
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	31	1.0	0.4
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	28	0.9	0.3
9	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	23	0.8	0.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	20	0.7	0.2
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	17	0.6	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	11	0.4	*
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	9	0.3	*
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6	0.2	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	6	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	392	13.2	4.9
White, female, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	3,722	100.0	46.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,708	45.9	21.4
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	296	8.0	3.7
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	287	7.7	3.6
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	234	6.3	2.9
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	151	4.1	1.9
6	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	93	2.5	1.2
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	72	1.9	0.9
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	40	1.1	0.5
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	35	0.9	0.4
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	32	0.9	0.4
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	27	0.7	0.3
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	20	0.5	0.3
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	20	0.5	0.3
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	17	0.5	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	14	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	676	18.2	8.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	4,100	100.0	52.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,487	36.3	18.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	476	11.6	6.1
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	415	10.1	5.3
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	230	5.6	2.9
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	212	5.2	2.7
6	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	92	2.2	1.2
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	66	1.6	0.8
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	65	1.6	0.8
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	52	1.3	0.7
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	45	1.1	0.6
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	38	0.9	0.5
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	32	0.8	0.4
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	29	0.7	0.4
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	26	0.6	0.3
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	22	0.5	0.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	813	19.8	10.3
White, female, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	4,944	100.0	65.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,422	28.8	19.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	927	18.8	12.4
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	403	8.2	5.4
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	376	7.6	5.0
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	170	3.4	2.3
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	117	2.4	1.6
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	98	2.0	1.3
8	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	88	1.8	1.2
9	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	71	1.4	0.9
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	68	1.4	0.9
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	65	1.3	0.9
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	60	1.2	0.8
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	49	1.0	0.7
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	45	0.9	0.6
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	41	0.8	0.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	944	19.1	12.6

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	8,120	100.0	98.1
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,937	23.9	23.4
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,830	22.5	22.1
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	750	9.2	9.1
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	635	7.8	7.7
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	222	2.7	2.7
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	197	2.4	2.4
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	193	2.4	2.3
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	192	2.4	2.3
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	147	1.8	1.8
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	101	1.2	1.2
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	101	1.2	1.2
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	77	0.9	0.9
13	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	76	0.9	0.9
14	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	71	0.9	0.9
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	62	0.8	0.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,529	18.8	18.5
White, female, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	14,170	100.0	157.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4,092	28.9	45.4
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,424	17.1	26.9
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,692	11.9	18.8
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	762	5.4	8.5
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	520	3.7	5.8
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	443	3.1	4.9
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	354	2.5	3.9
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	232	1.6	2.6
9	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	216	1.5	2.4
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	186	1.3	2.1
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	178	1.3	2.0
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	165	1.2	1.8
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	99	0.7	1.1
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	97	0.7	1.1
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	92	0.6	1.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,618	18.5	29.1

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	22,388	100.0	239.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7,793	34.8	83.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,990	13.4	32.0
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,656	11.9	28.4
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	902	4.0	9.6
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	866	3.9	9.3
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	770	3.4	8.2
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	578	2.6	6.2
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	546	2.4	5.8
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	262	1.2	2.8
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	262	1.2	2.8
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	259	1.2	2.8
12	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	205	0.9	2.2
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	194	0.9	2.1
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	154	0.7	1.6
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	130	0.6	1.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,821	17.1	40.8
White, female, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	29,900	100.0	348.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	11,839	39.6	138.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,314	14.4	50.3
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,209	7.4	25.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,086	3.6	12.7
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,054	3.5	12.3
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	972	3.3	11.3
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	930	3.1	10.8
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	830	2.8	9.7
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	391	1.3	4.6
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	383	1.3	4.5
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	359	1.2	4.2
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	320	1.1	3.7
13	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	168	0.6	2.0
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	156	0.5	1.8
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	147	0.5	1.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	4,742	15.9	55.3

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	40,527	100.0	518.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	17,284	42.6	220.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6,521	16.1	83.4
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,997	4.9	25.5
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,746	4.3	22.3
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,555	3.8	19.9
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,423	3.5	18.2
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	997	2.5	12.7
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	646	1.6	8.3
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	588	1.5	7.5
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	539	1.3	6.9
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	438	1.1	5.6
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	299	0.7	3.8
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	245	0.6	3.1
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	200	0.5	2.6
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	160	0.4	2.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	5,889	14.5	75.3
White, female, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	49,420	100.0	835.1
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	21,068	42.6	356.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8,787	17.8	148.5
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3,408	6.9	57.6
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,884	3.8	31.8
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,833	3.7	31.0
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,285	2.6	21.7
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	824	1.7	13.9
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	792	1.6	13.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	677	1.4	11.4
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	597	1.2	10.1
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	417	0.8	7.0
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	289	0.6	4.9
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	280	0.6	4.7
14	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	210	0.4	3.5
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	173	0.4	2.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	6,896	14.0	116.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	60,219	100.0	1,281.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	24,223	40.2	515.5
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	11,197	18.6	238.3
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5,378	8.9	114.5
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,544	4.2	54.1
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,281	3.8	48.5
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,221	2.0	26.0
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,016	1.7	21.6
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	959	1.6	20.4
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	829	1.4	17.6
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	821	1.4	17.5
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	455	0.8	9.7
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	409	0.7	8.7
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	347	0.6	7.4
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	298	0.5	6.3
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	226	0.4	4.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	8,015	13.3	170.6
White, female, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	83,434	100.0	2,071.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	29,144	34.9	723.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	17,240	20.7	427.9
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7,761	9.3	192.6
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4,374	5.2	108.6
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,976	3.6	73.9
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,543	1.8	38.3
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,432	1.7	35.5
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,423	1.7	35.3
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,422	1.7	35.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,336	1.6	33.2
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	895	1.1	22.2
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	673	0.8	16.7
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	533	0.6	13.2
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	527	0.6	13.1
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	505	0.6	12.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	11,650	14.0	289.2

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	124,961	100.0	3,353.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	34,923	27.9	937.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	29,302	23.4	786.4
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	10,714	8.6	287.6
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8,124	6.5	218.0
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,092	3.3	109.8
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	4,087	3.3	109.7
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,607	2.1	70.0
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,431	1.9	65.2
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,397	1.9	64.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,058	1.6	55.2
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,244	1.0	33.4
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,169	0.9	31.4
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	946	0.8	25.4
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	820	0.7	22.0
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	790	0.6	21.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	19,257	15.4	516.8
White, female, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	175,051	100.0	5,646.4
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	47,419	27.1	1,529.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	34,911	19.9	1,126.1
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	13,819	7.9	445.7
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	12,190	7.0	393.2
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	9,338	5.3	301.2
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,021	2.9	162.0
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4,761	2.7	153.6
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,548	2.0	114.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,472	2.0	112.0
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,769	1.6	89.3
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,134	1.2	68.8
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,933	1.1	62.4
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,324	0.8	42.7
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,193	0.7	38.5
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,037	0.6	33.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	30,182	17.2	973.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	191,470	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	59,869	31.3	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	25,574	13.4	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	16,626	8.7	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	13,398	7.0	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	9,984	5.2	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6,015	3.1	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,482	2.3	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,823	2.0	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,762	2.0	---
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,735	1.4	---
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,525	1.3	---
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2,094	1.1	---
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,836	1.0	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,257	0.7	---
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	1,057	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	36,433	19.0	---
White, female, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	149,293	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	52,298	35.0	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	12,926	8.7	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	12,789	8.6	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	12,090	8.1	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5,589	3.7	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5,418	3.6	---
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,024	2.0	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,734	1.8	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,590	1.7	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,212	1.5	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,787	1.2	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,466	1.0	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	1,195	0.8	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1,141	0.8	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	819	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	31,215	20.9	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	64,963	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	24,643	37.9	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,298	8.2	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	5,289	8.1	---
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,677	5.7	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,872	4.4	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,774	2.7	---
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,252	1.9	---
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1,183	1.8	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,029	1.6	---
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	890	1.4	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	656	1.0	---
12	Atherosclerosis (I70)	640	1.0	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	627	1.0	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	300	0.5	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	271	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	14,562	22.4	---
White, female, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	14,197	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5,779	40.7	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	985	6.9	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	978	6.9	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	770	5.4	---
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	494	3.5	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	322	2.3	---
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	280	2.0	---
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	260	1.8	---
9	Atherosclerosis (I70)	206	1.5	---
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	187	1.3	---
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	162	1.1	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	134	0.9	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	92	0.6	---
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	46	0.3	---
15	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	44	0.3	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,458	24.4	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	289,971	100.0	733.0
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	72,253	24.9	182.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	63,082	21.8	159.5
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	17,045	5.9	43.1
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	13,917	4.8	35.2
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	12,813	4.4	32.4
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	9,032	3.1	22.8
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	8,397	2.9	21.2
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7,730	2.7	19.5
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	6,854	2.4	17.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	6,108	2.1	15.4
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5,311	1.8	13.4
12	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	5,121	1.8	12.9
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4,900	1.7	12.4
14	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	4,455	1.5	11.3
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,349	0.8	5.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	50,604	17.5	127.9
Black, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	1,144	100.0	43.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	371	32.4	14.0
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	154	13.5	5.8
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	107	9.4	4.1
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	65	5.7	2.5
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	44	3.8	1.7
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	34	3.0	1.3
7	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	22	1.9	0.8
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	21	1.8	0.8
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	15	1.3	*
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	12	1.0	*
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	12	1.0	*
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	9	0.8	*
13	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	5	0.4	*
14	Meningitis (G00,G03)	4	0.3	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	4	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	265	23.2	10.0

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	631	100.0	19.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	256	40.6	8.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	73	11.6	2.3
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	50	7.9	1.6
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	35	5.5	1.1
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	28	4.4	0.9
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	21	3.3	0.7
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	12	1.9	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10	1.6	*
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	9	1.4	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	6	1.0	*
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	4	0.6	*
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	3	0.5	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	0.5	*
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2	0.3	*
15	Meningococcal infection (A39)	1	0.2	*
15	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	0.2	*
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.2	*
15	Peptic ulcer (K25-K28)	1	0.2	*
15	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	0.2	*
15	Hernia (K40-K46)	1	0.2	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.2	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	111	17.6	3.5
Black, both sexes, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	763	100.0	22.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	215	28.2	6.3
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	99	13.0	2.9
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	72	9.4	2.1
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	46	6.0	1.3
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	41	5.4	1.2
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	37	4.8	1.1
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	32	4.2	0.9
8	Anemias (D50-D64)	11	1.4	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10	1.3	*
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	9	1.2	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	9	1.2	*
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	9	1.2	*
13	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8	1.0	*
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	0.8	*
15	Meningitis (G00,G03)	5	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	154	20.2	4.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	2,952	100.0	84.7
1	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,305	44.2	37.5
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	758	25.7	21.8
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	145	4.9	4.2
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	112	3.8	3.2
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	107	3.6	3.1
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	47	1.6	1.3
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	37	1.3	1.1
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	30	1.0	0.9
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	22	0.7	0.6
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	16	0.5	*
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	15	0.5	*
12	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	13	0.4	*
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	11	0.4	*
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	11	0.4	*
13	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	11	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	312	10.6	9.0
Black, both sexes, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	4,531	100.0	142.0
1	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,990	43.9	62.4
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	992	21.9	31.1
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	271	6.0	8.5
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	196	4.3	6.1
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	157	3.5	4.9
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	114	2.5	3.6
7	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	49	1.1	1.5
8	Anemias (D50-D64)	42	0.9	1.3
9	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	41	0.9	1.3
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	40	0.9	1.3
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	38	0.8	1.2
12	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	31	0.7	1.0
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	30	0.7	0.9
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	30	0.7	0.9
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	23	0.5	0.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	487	10.7	15.3

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	4,875	100.0	163.9
1	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,606	32.9	54.0
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	994	20.4	33.4
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	379	7.8	12.7
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	295	6.1	9.9
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	256	5.3	8.6
6	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	238	4.9	8.0
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	100	2.1	3.4
8	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	68	1.4	2.3
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	57	1.2	1.9
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	51	1.0	1.7
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	46	0.9	1.5
12	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	45	0.9	1.5
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	41	0.8	1.4
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	39	0.8	1.3
15	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	31	0.6	1.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	629	12.9	21.2
Black, both sexes, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	5,170	100.0	192.9
1	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,064	20.6	39.7
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	939	18.2	35.0
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	654	12.6	24.4
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	475	9.2	17.7
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	401	7.8	15.0
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	218	4.2	8.1
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	140	2.7	5.2
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	100	1.9	3.7
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	68	1.3	2.5
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	62	1.2	2.3
11	Anemias (D50-D64)	55	1.1	2.1
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	50	1.0	1.9
12	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	50	1.0	1.9
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	48	0.9	1.8
15	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	46	0.9	1.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	800	15.5	29.8

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	7,040	100.0	252.6
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,136	16.1	40.8
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,056	15.0	37.9
3	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	887	12.6	31.8
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	783	11.1	28.1
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	750	10.7	26.9
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	233	3.3	8.4
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	228	3.2	8.2
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	217	3.1	7.8
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	114	1.6	4.1
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	106	1.5	3.8
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	74	1.1	2.7
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	67	1.0	2.4
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	66	0.9	2.4
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	61	0.9	2.2
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	60	0.9	2.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,202	17.1	43.1
Black, both sexes, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	10,890	100.0	373.1
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,942	17.8	66.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,732	15.9	59.3
3	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,302	12.0	44.6
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,291	11.9	44.2
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	597	5.5	20.5
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	464	4.3	15.9
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	366	3.4	12.5
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	222	2.0	7.6
9	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	190	1.7	6.5
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	189	1.7	6.5
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	167	1.5	5.7
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	152	1.4	5.2
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	148	1.4	5.1
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	120	1.1	4.1
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	86	0.8	2.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,922	17.6	65.9

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	16,254	100.0	576.3
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,557	21.9	126.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,488	21.5	123.7
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,511	9.3	53.6
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,396	8.6	49.5
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	766	4.7	27.2
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	538	3.3	19.1
7	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	481	3.0	17.1
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	311	1.9	11.0
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	310	1.9	11.0
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	282	1.7	10.0
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	216	1.3	7.7
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	216	1.3	7.7
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	202	1.2	7.2
14	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	173	1.1	6.1
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	135	0.8	4.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,672	16.4	94.7
Black, both sexes, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	21,165	100.0	892.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	5,312	25.1	224.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5,055	23.9	213.2
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,345	6.4	56.7
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,153	5.4	48.6
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,053	5.0	44.4
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	880	4.2	37.1
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	531	2.5	22.4
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	493	2.3	20.8
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	405	1.9	17.1
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	398	1.9	16.8
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	354	1.7	14.9
12	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	344	1.6	14.5
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	261	1.2	11.0
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	255	1.2	10.8
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	137	0.6	5.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,189	15.1	134.5

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	23,782	100.0	1,232.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	6,918	29.1	358.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6,054	25.5	313.8
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,303	5.5	67.5
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,186	5.0	61.5
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	988	4.2	51.2
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	690	2.9	35.8
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	629	2.6	32.6
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	534	2.2	27.7
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	501	2.1	26.0
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	446	1.9	23.1
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	368	1.5	19.1
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	280	1.2	14.5
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	249	1.0	12.9
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	206	0.9	10.7
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	116	0.5	6.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,314	13.9	171.8
Black, both sexes, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	22,614	100.0	1,750.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7,253	32.1	561.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5,996	26.5	464.1
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,314	5.8	101.7
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,310	5.8	101.4
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	717	3.2	55.5
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	671	3.0	51.9
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	569	2.5	44.0
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	496	2.2	38.4
9	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	372	1.6	28.8
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	286	1.3	22.1
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	264	1.2	20.4
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	262	1.2	20.3
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	116	0.5	9.0
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	103	0.5	8.0
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	101	0.4	7.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,784	12.3	215.5

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	24,208	100.0	2,409.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7,751	32.0	771.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6,470	26.7	644.1
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,465	6.1	145.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,439	5.9	143.3
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	869	3.6	86.5
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	839	3.5	83.5
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	560	2.3	55.7
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	455	1.9	45.3
9	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	431	1.8	42.9
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	399	1.6	39.7
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	211	0.9	21.0
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	168	0.7	16.7
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	131	0.5	13.0
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	92	0.4	9.2
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	92	0.4	9.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,836	11.7	282.3
Black, both sexes, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	26,918	100.0	3,371.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	8,016	29.8	1,004.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7,462	27.7	934.7
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,770	6.6	221.7
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,543	5.7	193.3
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	979	3.6	122.6
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	977	3.6	122.4
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	685	2.5	85.8
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	456	1.7	57.1
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	410	1.5	51.4
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	407	1.5	51.0
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	260	1.0	32.6
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	158	0.6	19.8
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	129	0.5	16.2
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	128	0.5	16.0
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	118	0.4	14.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,420	12.7	428.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	29,260	100.0	4,902.4
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8,254	28.2	1,382.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7,658	26.2	1,283.1
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,085	7.1	349.3
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,628	5.6	272.8
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,193	4.1	199.9
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,062	3.6	177.9
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	745	2.5	124.8
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	593	2.0	99.4
9	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	559	1.9	93.7
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	540	1.8	90.5
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	428	1.5	71.7
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	196	0.7	32.8
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	155	0.5	26.0
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	149	0.5	25.0
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	141	0.5	23.6
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,874	13.2	649.1
Black, both sexes, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	30,742	100.0	7,275.3
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	9,116	29.7	2,157.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	6,579	21.4	1,557.0
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,357	7.7	557.8
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,553	5.1	367.5
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,110	3.6	262.7
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,076	3.5	254.6
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	955	3.1	226.0
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	832	2.7	196.9
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	787	2.6	186.2
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	634	2.1	150.0
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	396	1.3	93.7
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	233	0.8	55.1
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	167	0.5	39.5
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	157	0.5	37.2
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	144	0.5	34.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	4,646	15.1	1,099.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	23,915	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7,422	31.0	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,975	16.6	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,962	8.2	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,082	4.5	---
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,079	4.5	---
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	873	3.7	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	745	3.1	---
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	717	3.0	---
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	583	2.4	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	538	2.2	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	286	1.2	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	233	1.0	---
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	132	0.6	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	123	0.5	---
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	122	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	4,043	16.9	---
Black, both sexes, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	15,551	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5,102	32.8	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,851	11.9	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,269	8.2	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	932	6.0	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	582	3.7	---
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	571	3.7	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	552	3.5	---
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	395	2.5	---
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	362	2.3	---
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	360	2.3	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	183	1.2	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	174	1.1	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	89	0.6	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	74	0.5	---
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	60	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,995	19.3	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	6,617	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,308	34.9	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	552	8.3	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	508	7.7	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	440	6.6	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	278	4.2	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	221	3.3	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	195	2.9	---
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	151	2.3	---
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	138	2.1	---
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	130	2.0	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	90	1.4	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	64	1.0	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	51	0.8	---
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	31	0.5	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	30	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,430	21.6	---
Black, both sexes, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	2,059	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	803	39.0	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	149	7.2	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	105	5.1	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	98	4.8	---
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	91	4.4	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	73	3.5	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	67	3.3	---
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	36	1.7	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	34	1.7	---
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	33	1.6	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	24	1.2	---
12	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	21	1.0	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	14	0.7	---
14	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	10	0.5	---
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	8	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	493	23.9	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, all ages				
...	All causes	148,602	100.0	786.7
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	36,230	24.4	191.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	32,556	21.9	172.3
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	9,605	6.5	50.8
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	7,677	5.2	40.6
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	7,424	5.0	39.3
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,772	3.9	30.6
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	4,443	3.0	23.5
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	4,136	2.8	21.9
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,812	2.6	20.2
10	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	2,811	1.9	14.9
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,717	1.8	14.4
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,486	1.7	13.2
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,126	1.4	11.3
14	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,669	1.1	8.8
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,519	1.0	8.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	23,619	15.9	125.0
Black, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	633	100.0	47.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	214	33.8	15.9
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	84	13.3	6.3
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	42	6.6	3.1
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	35	5.5	2.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	27	4.3	2.0
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	16	2.5	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	12	1.9	*
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	12	1.9	*
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	9	1.4	*
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	9	1.4	*
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8	1.3	*
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5	0.8	*
13	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	3	0.5	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	3	0.5	*
15	Meningococcal infection (A39)	1	0.2	*
15	Syphilis (A50-A53)	1	0.2	*
15	Meningitis (G00,G03)	1	0.2	*
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1	0.2	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	149	23.5	11.1

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	369	100.0	22.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	157	42.5	9.7
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	41	11.1	2.5
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	34	9.2	2.1
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	15	4.1	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	14	3.8	*
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	9	2.4	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	7	1.9	*
8	Anemias (D50-D64)	5	1.4	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5	1.4	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4	1.1	*
11	Meningitis (G00,G03)	2	0.5	*
12	Meningococcal infection (A39)	1	0.3	*
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.3	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	0.3	*
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.3	*
12	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	0.3	*
12	Hernia (K40-K46)	1	0.3	*
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.3	*
12	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	68	18.4	4.2
Black, male, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	462	100.0	26.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	138	29.9	8.0
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	71	15.4	4.1
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	42	9.1	2.4
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	30	6.5	1.7
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	29	6.3	1.7
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	26	5.6	1.5
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	15	3.2	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	6	1.3	*
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	5	1.1	*
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	4	0.9	*
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	3	0.6	*
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	0.6	*
13	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	0.4	*
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	2	0.4	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	2	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	84	18.2	4.8

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	2,309	100.0	130.8
1	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,170	50.7	66.3
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	584	25.3	33.1
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	123	5.3	7.0
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	66	2.9	3.7
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	66	2.9	3.7
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	28	1.2	1.6
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	25	1.1	1.4
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	17	0.7	*
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	12	0.5	*
10	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	11	0.5	*
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8	0.3	*
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	7	0.3	*
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	6	0.3	*
14	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5	0.2	*
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	176	7.6	10.0
Black, male, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	3,484	100.0	215.7
1	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,812	52.0	112.2
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	747	21.4	46.2
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	235	6.7	14.5
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	117	3.4	7.2
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	87	2.5	5.4
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	67	1.9	4.1
7	Anemias (D50-D64)	25	0.7	1.5
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	25	0.7	1.5
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	24	0.7	1.5
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	22	0.6	1.4
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	18	0.5	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	15	0.4	*
12	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	15	0.4	*
12	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	15	0.4	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	9	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	251	7.2	15.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	3,506	100.0	242.0
1	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,409	40.2	97.3
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	774	22.1	53.4
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	245	7.0	16.9
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	227	6.5	15.7
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	163	4.6	11.3
6	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	109	3.1	7.5
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	52	1.5	3.6
8	Anemias (D50-D64)	30	0.9	2.1
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	28	0.8	1.9
10	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	26	0.7	1.8
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	25	0.7	1.7
11	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	25	0.7	1.7
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	21	0.6	1.4
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	18	0.5	*
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	18	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	336	9.6	23.2
Black, male, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	3,413	100.0	268.0
1	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	937	27.5	73.6
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	729	21.4	57.2
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	418	12.2	32.8
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	255	7.5	20.0
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	194	5.7	15.2
6	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	163	4.8	12.8
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	85	2.5	6.7
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	47	1.4	3.7
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	39	1.1	3.1
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	36	1.1	2.8
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	27	0.8	2.1
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	27	0.8	2.1
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	25	0.7	2.0
14	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	19	0.6	*
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	18	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	394	11.5	30.9

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	4,268	100.0	324.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	773	18.1	58.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	721	16.9	54.9
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	609	14.3	46.3
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	529	12.4	40.2
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	288	6.7	21.9
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	196	4.6	14.9
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	129	3.0	9.8
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	129	3.0	9.8
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	60	1.4	4.6
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	47	1.1	3.6
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	39	0.9	3.0
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	37	0.9	2.8
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	34	0.8	2.6
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	33	0.8	2.5
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	25	0.6	1.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	619	14.5	47.1
Black, male, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	6,253	100.0	457.3
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,171	18.7	85.6
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	896	14.3	65.5
3	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	829	13.3	60.6
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	692	11.1	50.6
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	459	7.3	33.6
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	217	3.5	15.9
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	213	3.4	15.6
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	156	2.5	11.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	123	2.0	9.0
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	122	2.0	8.9
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	88	1.4	6.4
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	87	1.4	6.4
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	69	1.1	5.0
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	61	1.0	4.5
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	43	0.7	3.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,027	16.4	75.1

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	9,391	100.0	715.6
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,258	24.0	172.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,583	16.9	120.6
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,065	11.3	81.1
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	895	9.5	68.2
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	384	4.1	29.3
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	380	4.0	29.0
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	312	3.3	23.8
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	200	2.1	15.2
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	179	1.9	13.6
10	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	143	1.5	10.9
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	132	1.4	10.1
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	120	1.3	9.1
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	109	1.2	8.3
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	103	1.1	7.8
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	83	0.9	6.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,445	15.4	110.1
Black, male, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	12,721	100.0	1,171.2
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,253	25.6	299.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,786	21.9	256.5
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	990	7.8	91.2
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	751	5.9	69.1
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	664	5.2	61.1
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	492	3.9	45.3
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	342	2.7	31.5
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	301	2.4	27.7
9	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	266	2.1	24.5
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	222	1.7	20.4
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	216	1.7	19.9
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	212	1.7	19.5
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	176	1.4	16.2
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	167	1.3	15.4
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	108	0.8	9.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,775	14.0	163.4

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

<sup>1</sup> Rank based on number of deaths

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Rates are not shown for age groups over 85 years because population figures are not available for these age groups. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. The title for Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease was changed in 2006 to reflect the addition of Secondary hypertension (ICD code I15); see the "Technical Notes" of *Deaths: Final Data for 2006*]

Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	14,168	100.0	1,625.1
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,839	27.1	440.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,826	27.0	438.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	775	5.5	88.9
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	714	5.0	81.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	627	4.4	71.9
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	498	3.5	57.1
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	352	2.5	40.4
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	313	2.2	35.9
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	293	2.1	33.6
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	277	2.0	31.8
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	216	1.5	24.8
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	205	1.4	23.5
13	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	168	1.2	19.3
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	140	1.0	16.1
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	81	0.6	9.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,844	13.0	211.5
Black, male, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	13,030	100.0	2,302.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,979	30.5	703.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,729	28.6	659.0
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	748	5.7	132.2
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	679	5.2	120.0
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	408	3.1	72.1
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	397	3.0	70.2
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	365	2.8	64.5
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	257	2.0	45.4
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	211	1.6	37.3
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	188	1.4	33.2
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	168	1.3	29.7
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	166	1.3	29.3
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	78	0.6	13.8
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	77	0.6	13.6
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	58	0.4	10.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,522	11.7	269.0

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Rates are not shown for age groups over 85 years because population figures are not available for these age groups. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. The title for Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease was changed in 2006 to reflect the addition of Secondary hypertension (ICD code I15); see the "Technical Notes" of *Deaths: Final Data for 2006*]

Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	13,369	100.0	3,132.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4,300	32.2	1,007.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,789	28.3	887.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	765	5.7	179.3
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	697	5.2	163.3
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	478	3.6	112.0
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	422	3.2	98.9
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	296	2.2	69.4
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	263	2.0	61.6
9	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	214	1.6	50.1
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	214	1.6	50.1
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	147	1.1	34.4
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	116	0.9	27.2
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	79	0.6	18.5
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	64	0.5	15.0
15	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	53	0.4	12.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,472	11.0	344.9
Black, male, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	14,218	100.0	4,373.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4,395	30.9	1,351.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,065	28.6	1,250.3
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	879	6.2	270.4
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	718	5.0	220.8
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	550	3.9	169.2
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	441	3.1	135.6
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	307	2.2	94.4
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	252	1.8	77.5
9	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	236	1.7	72.6
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	224	1.6	68.9
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	107	0.8	32.9
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	91	0.6	28.0
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	73	0.5	22.5
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	64	0.5	19.7
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	63	0.4	19.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,753	12.3	539.2

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	14,144	100.0	6,329.2
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,041	28.6	1,808.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,986	28.2	1,783.7
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	894	6.3	400.0
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	665	4.7	297.6
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	643	4.5	287.7
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	470	3.3	210.3
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	342	2.4	153.0
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	311	2.2	139.2
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	245	1.7	109.6
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	217	1.5	97.1
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	198	1.4	88.6
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	123	0.9	55.0
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	95	0.7	42.5
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	73	0.5	32.7
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	71	0.5	31.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,770	12.5	792.0
Black, male, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	13,178	100.0	9,021.0
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,830	29.1	2,621.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,328	25.3	2,278.2
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	847	6.4	579.8
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	610	4.6	417.6
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	546	4.1	373.8
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	457	3.5	312.8
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	358	2.7	245.1
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	306	2.3	209.5
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	293	2.2	200.6
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	250	1.9	171.1
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	183	1.4	125.3
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	124	0.9	84.9
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	92	0.7	63.0
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	80	0.6	54.8
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	57	0.4	39.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,817	13.8	1,243.8

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	8,617	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,566	29.8	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,868	21.7	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	578	6.7	---
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	370	4.3	---
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	342	4.0	---
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	299	3.5	---
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	281	3.3	---
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	276	3.2	---
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	198	2.3	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	167	1.9	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	125	1.5	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	110	1.3	---
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	57	0.7	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	53	0.6	---
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	43	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,284	14.9	---
Black, male, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	4,411	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,395	31.6	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	748	17.0	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	306	6.9	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	190	4.3	---
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	177	4.0	---
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	166	3.8	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	142	3.2	---
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	141	3.2	---
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	102	2.3	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	93	2.1	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	72	1.6	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	65	1.5	---
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	25	0.6	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	25	0.6	---
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	23	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	741	16.8	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	1,429	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	478	33.4	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	201	14.1	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	87	6.1	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	76	5.3	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	72	5.0	---
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	56	3.9	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	50	3.5	---
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	38	2.7	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	32	2.2	---
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	26	1.8	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	22	1.5	---
12	Atherosclerosis (I70)	14	1.0	---
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	13	0.9	---
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	7	0.5	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	6	0.4	---
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	6	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	245	17.1	---
Black, male, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	321	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	119	37.1	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	29	9.0	---
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	23	7.2	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	16	5.0	---
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	15	4.7	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	11	3.4	---
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	8	2.5	---
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	6	1.9	---
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	6	1.9	---
8	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	6	1.9	---
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4	1.2	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4	1.2	---
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.6	---
13	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	2	0.6	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	2	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	68	21.2	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, all ages				
...	All causes	141,369	100.0	684.0
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	36,023	25.5	174.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	30,526	21.6	147.7
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	9,621	6.8	46.5
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7,041	5.0	34.1
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4,585	3.2	22.2
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,312	3.1	20.9
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3,594	2.5	17.4
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3,391	2.4	16.4
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	3,265	2.3	15.8
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,825	2.0	13.7
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2,774	2.0	13.4
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,411	1.7	11.7
13	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	2,310	1.6	11.2
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,355	1.0	6.6
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	861	0.6	4.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	26,475	18.7	128.1
Black, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	511	100.0	39.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	157	30.7	12.1
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	70	13.7	5.4
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	65	12.7	5.0
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	30	5.9	2.3
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	18	3.5	*
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	17	3.3	*
7	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	13	2.5	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	9	1.8	*
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4	0.8	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4	0.8	*
11	Anemias (D50-D64)	3	0.6	*
11	Meningitis (G00,G03)	3	0.6	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	0.6	*
14	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2	0.4	*
14	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	2	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	111	21.7	8.6

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	262	100.0	16.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	99	37.8	6.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	32	12.2	2.0
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	21	8.0	1.3
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	16	6.1	*
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	13	5.0	*
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	12	4.6	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	7	2.7	*
8	Anemias (D50-D64)	4	1.5	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	1.1	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	1.1	*
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	3	1.1	*
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.8	*
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.4	*
13	Meningitis (G00,G03)	1	0.4	*
13	Peptic ulcer (K25-K28)	1	0.4	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	43	16.4	2.8
Black, female, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	301	100.0	17.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	77	25.6	4.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	30	10.0	1.8
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	28	9.3	1.7
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	20	6.6	1.2
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	17	5.6	*
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	12	4.0	*
7	Anemias (D50-D64)	7	2.3	*
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7	2.3	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	7	2.3	*
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	7	2.3	*
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	6	2.0	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	1.3	*
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	4	1.3	*
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	4	1.3	*
15	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	1.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	68	22.6	4.1

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	643	100.0	37.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	174	27.1	10.1
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	135	21.0	7.9
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	46	7.2	2.7
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	41	6.4	2.4
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	22	3.4	1.3
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	19	3.0	*
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	13	2.0	*
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	12	1.9	*
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	10	1.6	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	9	1.4	*
10	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	9	1.4	*
12	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8	1.2	*
13	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7	1.1	*
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	0.9	*
15	Septicemia (A40-A41)	5	0.8	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5	0.8	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	122	19.0	7.1
Black, female, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	1,047	100.0	66.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	245	23.4	15.6
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	178	17.0	11.3
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	79	7.5	5.0
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	70	6.7	4.4
5	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	49	4.7	3.1
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	47	4.5	3.0
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	36	3.4	2.3
8	Anemias (D50-D64)	17	1.6	*
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	16	1.5	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	16	1.5	*
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	16	1.5	*
9	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	16	1.5	*
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	15	1.4	*
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	14	1.3	*
15	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	12	1.1	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	221	21.1	14.0

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	1,369	100.0	89.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	220	16.1	14.4
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	197	14.4	12.9
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	134	9.8	8.8
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	132	9.6	8.7
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	129	9.4	8.5
6	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	68	5.0	4.5
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	48	3.5	3.1
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	29	2.1	1.9
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	27	2.0	1.8
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	23	1.7	1.5
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	23	1.7	1.5
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	21	1.5	1.4
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	21	1.5	1.4
14	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	19	1.4	*
15	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	10	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	268	19.6	17.6
Black, female, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	1,757	100.0	124.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	238	13.5	16.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	236	13.4	16.8
3	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	220	12.5	15.6
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	210	12.0	14.9
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	127	7.2	9.0
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	55	3.1	3.9
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	53	3.0	3.8
8	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	50	2.8	3.6
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	30	1.7	2.1
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	30	1.7	2.1
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	29	1.7	2.1
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	26	1.5	1.8
13	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	24	1.4	1.7
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	23	1.3	1.6
15	Septicemia (A40-A41)	21	1.2	1.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	385	21.9	27.4

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	2,772	100.0	188.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	495	17.9	33.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	415	15.0	28.2
3	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	358	12.9	24.3
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	283	10.2	19.2
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	141	5.1	9.6
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	104	3.8	7.1
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	88	3.2	6.0
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	59	2.1	4.0
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	54	1.9	3.7
10	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	51	1.8	3.5
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	40	1.4	2.7
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	35	1.3	2.4
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	34	1.2	2.3
14	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	32	1.2	2.2
15	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	29	1.0	2.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	554	20.0	37.6
Black, female, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	4,637	100.0	298.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,040	22.4	67.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	771	16.6	49.7
3	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	473	10.2	30.5
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	395	8.5	25.5
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	251	5.4	16.2
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	149	3.2	9.6
7	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	138	3.0	8.9
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	99	2.1	6.4
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	83	1.8	5.4
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	80	1.7	5.2
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	67	1.4	4.3
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	60	1.3	3.9
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	59	1.3	3.8
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	46	1.0	3.0
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	34	0.7	2.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	892	19.2	57.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	6,863	100.0	455.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,905	27.8	126.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,299	18.9	86.1
3	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	501	7.3	33.2
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	446	6.5	29.6
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	386	5.6	25.6
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	226	3.3	15.0
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	150	2.2	9.9
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	131	1.9	8.7
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	113	1.6	7.5
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	111	1.6	7.4
11	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	97	1.4	6.4
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	96	1.4	6.4
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	93	1.4	6.2
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	52	0.8	3.4
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	41	0.6	2.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,216	17.7	80.6
Black, female, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	8,444	100.0	657.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,526	29.9	196.7
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,802	21.3	140.3
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	489	5.8	38.1
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	388	4.6	30.2
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	355	4.2	27.6
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	302	3.6	23.5
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	230	2.7	17.9
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	189	2.2	14.7
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	176	2.1	13.7
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	151	1.8	11.8
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	142	1.7	11.1
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	88	1.0	6.9
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	85	1.0	6.6
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	78	0.9	6.1
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	39	0.5	3.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,404	16.6	109.3

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	9,614	100.0	909.1
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,092	32.2	292.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,215	23.0	209.5
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	559	5.8	52.9
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	528	5.5	49.9
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	277	2.9	26.2
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	274	2.9	25.9
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	241	2.5	22.8
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	224	2.3	21.2
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	192	2.0	18.2
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	152	1.6	14.4
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	133	1.4	12.6
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	109	1.1	10.3
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	75	0.8	7.1
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	38	0.4	3.6
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	36	0.4	3.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,469	15.3	138.9
Black, female, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	9,584	100.0	1,319.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,274	34.2	450.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,267	23.7	312.2
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	635	6.6	87.4
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	562	5.9	77.4
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	352	3.7	48.5
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	274	2.9	37.7
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	239	2.5	32.9
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	184	1.9	25.3
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	161	1.7	22.2
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	96	1.0	13.2
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	96	1.0	13.2
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	75	0.8	10.3
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	52	0.5	7.2
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	39	0.4	5.4
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	38	0.4	5.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,240	12.9	170.8

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	10,839	100.0	1,876.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,451	31.8	597.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,681	24.7	464.0
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	768	7.1	132.9
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	674	6.2	116.7
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	447	4.1	77.4
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	361	3.3	62.5
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	297	2.7	51.4
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	217	2.0	37.6
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	185	1.7	32.0
10	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	159	1.5	27.5
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	64	0.6	11.1
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	52	0.5	9.0
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	52	0.5	9.0
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	41	0.4	7.1
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	40	0.4	6.9
15	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	40	0.4	6.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,310	12.1	226.7
Black, female, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	12,700	100.0	2,683.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,621	28.5	765.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,397	26.7	717.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	891	7.0	188.3
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	825	6.5	174.3
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	536	4.2	113.3
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	429	3.4	90.7
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	378	3.0	79.9
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	220	1.7	46.5
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	183	1.4	38.7
10	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	158	1.2	33.4
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	153	1.2	32.3
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	67	0.5	14.2
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	64	0.5	13.5
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	59	0.5	12.5
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	56	0.4	11.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,663	13.1	351.4

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	15,116	100.0	4,048.5
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,213	27.9	1,128.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,672	24.3	983.5
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,191	7.9	319.0
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	963	6.4	257.9
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	592	3.9	158.6
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	550	3.6	147.3
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	403	2.7	107.9
8	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	342	2.3	91.6
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	342	2.3	91.6
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	282	1.9	75.5
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	183	1.2	49.0
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	82	0.5	22.0
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	82	0.5	22.0
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	73	0.5	19.6
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	54	0.4	14.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,092	13.8	560.3
Black, female, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	17,564	100.0	6,352.9
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5,286	30.1	1,912.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,251	18.5	1,175.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,510	8.6	546.2
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,007	5.7	364.2
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	662	3.8	239.4
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	619	3.5	223.9
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	500	2.8	180.9
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	481	2.7	174.0
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	474	2.7	171.4
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	384	2.2	138.9
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	213	1.2	77.0
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	109	0.6	39.4
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	93	0.5	33.6
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	87	0.5	31.5
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	67	0.4	24.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,821	16.1	1,020.4

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	15,298	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,856	31.7	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,107	13.8	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,384	9.0	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	801	5.2	---
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	737	4.8	---
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	574	3.8	---
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	441	2.9	---
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	385	2.5	---
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	375	2.5	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	371	2.4	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	161	1.1	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	123	0.8	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	79	0.5	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	75	0.5	---
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	70	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,759	18.0	---
Black, female, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	11,140	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,707	33.3	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,103	9.9	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	963	8.6	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	766	6.9	---
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	411	3.7	---
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	394	3.5	---
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	392	3.5	---
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	302	2.7	---
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	260	2.3	---
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	218	2.0	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	111	1.0	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	109	1.0	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	64	0.6	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	49	0.4	---
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	48	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,243	20.1	---

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	5,188	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,830	35.3	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	421	8.1	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	368	7.1	---
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	351	6.8	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	202	3.9	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	183	3.5	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	139	2.7	---
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	119	2.3	---
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	104	2.0	---
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	88	1.7	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	68	1.3	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	51	1.0	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	37	0.7	---
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	25	0.5	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	24	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,178	22.7	---
Black, female, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	1,738	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	684	39.4	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	133	7.7	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	97	5.6	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	75	4.3	---
5	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	67	3.9	---
6	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	62	3.6	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	52	3.0	---
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	30	1.7	---
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	27	1.6	---
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	25	1.4	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	18	1.0	---
12	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	17	1.0	---
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	12	0.7	---
14	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	8	0.5	---
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	7	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	424	24.4	---

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	14,037	100.0	438.5
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,736	19.5	85.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,447	17.4	76.4
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,704	12.1	53.2
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	811	5.8	25.3
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	596	4.2	18.6
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	548	3.9	17.1
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	508	3.6	15.9
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	395	2.8	12.3
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	288	2.1	9.0
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	267	1.9	8.3
11	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	254	1.8	7.9
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	207	1.5	6.5
13	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	169	1.2	5.3
14	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	137	1.0	4.3
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	117	0.8	3.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,853	20.3	89.1
American Indian, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	94	100.0	54.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	32	34.0	18.5
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	11	11.7	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	10	10.6	*
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7	7.4	*
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4	4.3	*
6	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	2.1	*
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	2.1	*
8	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	1.1	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	25	26.6	14.5
American Indian, both sexes, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	39	100.0	15.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	24	61.5	9.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4	10.3	*
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	5.1	*
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	5.1	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1	2.6	*
5	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	2.6	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	2.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	4	10.3	*

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	52	100.0	18.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	19	36.5	*
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	12	23.1	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	4	7.7	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2	3.8	*
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2	3.8	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2	3.8	*
7	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1	1.9	*
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	1.9	*
7	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	1.9	*
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	1.9	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	7	13.5	*
American Indian, both sexes, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	291	100.0	95.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	148	50.9	48.6
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	60	20.6	19.7
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	30	10.3	9.8
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7	2.4	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4	1.4	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	4	1.4	*
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	3	1.0	*
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2	0.7	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	0.3	*
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.3	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	0.3	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	0.3	*
9	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.3	*
9	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	1	0.3	*
9	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	26	8.9	8.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	373	100.0	126.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	180	48.3	61.2
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	76	20.4	25.8
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	47	12.6	16.0
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	10	2.7	*
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	9	2.4	*
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	7	1.9	*
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3	0.8	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	0.5	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	0.5	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	0.5	*
8	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	2	0.5	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	0.3	*
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1	0.3	*
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1	0.3	*
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	0.3	*
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.3	*
12	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	27	7.2	9.2
American Indian, both sexes, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	327	100.0	125.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	162	49.5	62.1
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	39	11.9	14.9
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	39	11.9	14.9
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	11	3.4	*
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	10	3.1	*
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	8	2.4	*
7	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	4	1.2	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	0.9	*
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2	0.6	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	0.6	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2	0.6	*
9	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	2	0.6	*
13	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	1	0.3	*
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.3	*
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.3	*
13	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	39	11.9	14.9

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	381	100.0	167.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	143	37.5	63.0
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	38	10.0	16.7
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	28	7.3	12.3
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	24	6.3	10.6
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	23	6.0	10.1
6	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	22	5.8	9.7
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	13	3.4	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5	1.3	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5	1.3	*
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5	1.3	*
11	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	4	1.0	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	0.8	*
13	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	1	0.3	*
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	0.3	*
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	0.3	*
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.3	*
13	Peptic ulcer (K25-K28)	1	0.3	*
13	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	1	0.3	*
13	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	0.3	*
13	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	60	15.7	26.4
American Indian, both sexes, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	497	100.0	221.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	141	28.4	62.7
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	45	9.1	20.0
3	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	43	8.7	19.1
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	42	8.5	18.7
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	28	5.6	12.5
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	19	3.8	*
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	15	3.0	*
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	10	2.0	*
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	8	1.6	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	1.2	*
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	5	1.0	*
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5	1.0	*
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5	1.0	*
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.4	*
14	Meningitis (G00,G03)	2	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	121	24.3	53.8

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	755	100.0	320.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	159	21.1	67.5
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	99	13.1	42.1
3	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	78	10.3	33.1
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	65	8.6	27.6
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	41	5.4	17.4
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	29	3.8	12.3
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	29	3.8	12.3
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	26	3.4	11.0
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	19	2.5	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	12	1.6	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	11	1.5	*
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	10	1.3	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	10	1.3	*
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	8	1.1	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4	0.5	*
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	151	20.0	64.1
American Indian, both sexes, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	904	100.0	398.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	172	19.0	75.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	144	15.9	63.5
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	122	13.5	53.8
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	115	12.7	50.7
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	34	3.8	15.0
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	25	2.8	11.0
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	22	2.4	9.7
8	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	20	2.2	8.8
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	14	1.5	*
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	14	1.5	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	13	1.4	*
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	13	1.4	*
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	10	1.1	*
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	9	1.0	*
15	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	7	0.8	*
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	7	0.8	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	163	18.0	71.9

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	1,033	100.0	539.6
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	188	18.2	98.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	186	18.0	97.2
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	141	13.6	73.7
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	86	8.3	44.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	69	6.7	36.0
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	30	2.9	15.7
7	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	27	2.6	14.1
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	26	2.5	13.6
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	23	2.2	12.0
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	20	1.9	10.4
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	20	1.9	10.4
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	15	1.5	*
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	13	1.3	*
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	10	1.0	*
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	176	17.0	91.9
American Indian, both sexes, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	1,089	100.0	696.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	248	22.8	158.5
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	230	21.1	147.0
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	90	8.3	57.5
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	87	8.0	55.6
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	84	7.7	53.7
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	32	2.9	20.5
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	31	2.8	19.8
8	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	22	2.0	14.1
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	20	1.8	12.8
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	19	1.7	*
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	14	1.3	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	11	1.0	*
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	5	0.5	*
13	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	5	0.5	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	4	0.4	*
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	4	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	183	16.8	117.0

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	1,137	100.0	1,082.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	295	25.9	280.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	262	23.0	249.5
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	106	9.3	100.9
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	67	5.9	63.8
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	55	4.8	52.4
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	48	4.2	45.7
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	34	3.0	32.4
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	32	2.8	30.5
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	21	1.8	20.0
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	15	1.3	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	8	0.7	*
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	8	0.7	*
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	6	0.5	*
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5	0.4	*
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	5	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	170	15.0	161.9
American Indian, both sexes, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	1,257	100.0	1,664.5
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	351	27.9	464.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	288	22.9	381.4
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	88	7.0	116.5
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	61	4.9	80.8
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	49	3.9	64.9
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	48	3.8	63.6
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	45	3.6	59.6
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	37	2.9	49.0
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	19	1.5	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	17	1.4	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	14	1.1	*
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	12	1.0	*
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	7	0.6	*
13	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	7	0.6	*
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	6	0.5	*
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	6	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	202	16.1	267.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	1,195	100.0	2,188.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	329	27.5	602.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	283	23.7	518.2
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	102	8.5	186.8
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	76	6.4	139.2
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	56	4.7	102.5
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	48	4.0	87.9
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	36	3.0	65.9
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	25	2.1	45.8
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	23	1.9	42.1
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	18	1.5	*
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	8	0.7	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	8	0.7	*
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	6	0.5	*
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	6	0.5	*
15	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	5	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	166	13.9	303.9
American Indian, both sexes, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	1,245	100.0	3,204.4
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	333	26.7	857.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	290	23.3	746.4
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	94	7.6	241.9
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	88	7.1	226.5
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	65	5.2	167.3
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	34	2.7	87.5
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	28	2.2	72.1
8	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	26	2.1	66.9
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	26	2.1	66.9
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	25	2.0	64.3
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	17	1.4	*
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	14	1.1	*
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	12	1.0	*
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	10	0.8	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	8	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	175	14.1	450.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	1,297	100.0	5,050.6
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	338	26.1	1,316.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	270	20.8	1,051.4
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	96	7.4	373.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	82	6.3	319.3
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	72	5.6	280.4
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	47	3.6	183.0
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	39	3.0	151.9
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	34	2.6	132.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	26	2.0	101.2
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	20	1.5	77.9
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	14	1.1	*
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	11	0.8	*
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	8	0.6	*
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	7	0.5	*
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	6	0.5	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	6	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	221	17.0	860.6
American Indian, both sexes, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	900	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	244	27.1	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	130	14.4	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	67	7.4	---
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	53	5.9	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	44	4.9	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	38	4.2	---
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	36	4.0	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	24	2.7	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	22	2.4	---
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	14	1.6	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	14	1.6	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	11	1.2	---
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	11	1.2	---
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	10	1.1	---
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	7	0.8	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	175	19.4	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	534	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	165	30.9	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	52	9.7	---
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	49	9.2	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	29	5.4	---
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	28	5.2	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	18	3.4	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	16	3.0	---
8	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	12	2.2	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	12	2.2	---
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	8	1.5	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	8	1.5	---
10	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8	1.5	---
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	6	1.1	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5	0.9	---
14	Atherosclerosis (I70)	5	0.9	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	113	21.2	---
American Indian, both sexes, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	182	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	47	25.8	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	17	9.3	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	14	7.7	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	13	7.1	---
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11	6.0	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	8	4.4	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7	3.8	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7	3.8	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6	3.3	---
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	3	1.6	---
10	Atherosclerosis (I70)	3	1.6	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	1.1	---
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	1.1	---
12	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	2	1.1	---
12	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2	1.1	---
12	Enterocolitis due to <i>Clostridium difficile</i> (A04.7)	2	1.1	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	36	19.8	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	60	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	14	23.3	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7	11.7	---
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	10.0	---
4	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3	5.0	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3	5.0	---
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2	3.3	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	1.7	---
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1	1.7	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	1.7	---
7	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	1.7	---
7	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	1	1.7	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	1.7	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	19	31.7	---
American Indian, male, all ages				
...	All causes	7,630	100.0	477.1
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,532	20.1	95.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,217	16.0	76.1
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,184	15.5	74.0
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	362	4.7	22.6
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	330	4.3	20.6
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	309	4.0	19.3
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	234	3.1	14.6
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	231	3.0	14.4
9	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	206	2.7	12.9
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	137	1.8	8.6
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	135	1.8	8.4
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	99	1.3	6.2
13	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	91	1.2	5.7
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	66	0.9	4.1
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	65	0.9	4.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,432	18.8	89.6

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	51	100.0	58.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	15	29.4	*
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	9	17.6	*
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	5.9	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	5.9	*
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2	3.9	*
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	3.9	*
7	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	2.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	16	31.4	*
American Indian, male, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	20	100.0	15.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	12	60.0	*
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3	15.0	*
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1	5.0	*
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	5.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	3	15.0	*
American Indian, male, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	27	100.0	18.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	14	51.9	*
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	4	14.8	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	2	7.4	*
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2	7.4	*
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	3.7	*
5	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	3.7	*
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	3.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	2	7.4	*
American Indian, male, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	195	100.0	126.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	97	49.7	62.7
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	47	24.1	30.4
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	26	13.3	16.8
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4	2.1	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	1.5	*
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1	0.5	*
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	0.5	*
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.5	*
6	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	1	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	14	7.2	*

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	283	100.0	186.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	140	49.5	92.4
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	63	22.3	41.6
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	43	15.2	28.4
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	6	2.1	*
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	6	2.1	*
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4	1.4	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	0.7	*
7	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	2	0.7	*
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	0.4	*
9	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1	0.4	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	0.4	*
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	0.4	*
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1	0.4	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	11	3.9	*
American Indian, male, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	242	100.0	177.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	124	51.2	91.1
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	33	13.6	24.2
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	32	13.2	23.5
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7	2.9	*
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	6	2.5	*
6	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	5	2.1	*
7	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	2	0.8	*
8	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	1	0.4	*
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.4	*
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	0.4	*
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	29	12.0	21.3

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	250	100.0	212.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	101	40.4	86.0
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	31	12.4	26.4
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	20	8.0	17.0
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	16	6.4	*
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	15	6.0	*
6	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	8	3.2	*
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5	2.0	*
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	4	1.6	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3	1.2	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3	1.2	*
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	0.8	*
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	0.4	*
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	0.4	*
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.4	*
12	Peptic ulcer (K25-K28)	1	0.4	*
12	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	1	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	37	14.8	31.5
American Indian, male, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	325	100.0	284.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	103	31.7	90.1
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	35	10.8	30.6
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	33	10.2	28.9
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	22	6.8	19.2
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	12	3.7	*
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	9	2.8	*
7	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	8	2.5	*
7	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	8	2.5	*
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8	2.5	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5	1.5	*
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4	1.2	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	0.6	*
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	2	0.6	*
12	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	0.6	*
15	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	0.3	*
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.3	*
15	Peptic ulcer (K25-K28)	1	0.3	*
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	0.3	*
15	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	67	20.6	58.6

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	459	100.0	391.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	107	23.3	91.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	71	15.5	60.5
3	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	37	8.1	31.6
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	28	6.1	23.9
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	27	5.9	23.0
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	22	4.8	18.8
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	19	4.1	*
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	12	2.6	*
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	11	2.4	*
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	8	1.7	*
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	1.3	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	6	1.3	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5	1.1	*
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4	0.9	*
15	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	93	20.3	79.3
American Indian, male, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	563	100.0	510.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	124	22.0	112.5
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	106	18.8	96.2
3	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	66	11.7	59.9
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	54	9.6	49.0
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	24	4.3	21.8
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	21	3.7	19.1
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	14	2.5	*
8	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	12	2.1	*
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	10	1.8	*
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	8	1.4	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	8	1.4	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	7	1.2	*
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7	1.2	*
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	7	1.2	*
15	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	6	1.1	*
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	6	1.1	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	83	14.7	75.3

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	636	100.0	688.7
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	136	21.4	147.3
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	105	16.5	113.7
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	97	15.3	105.0
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	53	8.3	57.4
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	32	5.0	34.7
6	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	20	3.1	21.7
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	19	3.0	*
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	18	2.8	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	12	1.9	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	11	1.7	*
11	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	10	1.6	*
12	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	9	1.4	*
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	8	1.3	*
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	0.9	*
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	97	15.3	105.0
American Indian, male, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	658	100.0	869.8
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	160	24.3	211.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	122	18.5	161.3
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	69	10.5	91.2
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	53	8.1	70.1
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	52	7.9	68.7
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	21	3.2	27.8
7	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	13	2.0	*
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	13	2.0	*
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	12	1.8	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	12	1.8	*
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10	1.5	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5	0.8	*
12	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	5	0.8	*
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3	0.5	*
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	3	0.5	*
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	3	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	102	15.5	134.8

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	636	100.0	1,271.0
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	162	25.5	323.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	158	24.8	315.8
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	51	8.0	101.9
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	45	7.1	89.9
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	32	5.0	64.0
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	29	4.6	58.0
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	23	3.6	46.0
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	13	2.0	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	9	1.4	*
10	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	7	1.1	*
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	0.9	*
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4	0.6	*
12	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	4	0.6	*
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	3	0.5	*
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	2	0.3	*
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2	0.3	*
15	Peptic ulcer (K25-K28)	2	0.3	*
15	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	2	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	82	12.9	163.9
American Indian, male, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	687	100.0	1,926.1
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	190	27.7	532.7
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	182	26.5	510.3
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	43	6.3	120.6
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	28	4.1	78.5
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	27	3.9	75.7
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	26	3.8	72.9
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	24	3.5	67.3
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	17	2.5	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	12	1.7	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10	1.5	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	9	1.3	*
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7	1.0	*
13	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	5	0.7	*
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	4	0.6	*
14	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	4	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	99	14.4	277.6

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	608	100.0	2,465.9
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	164	27.0	665.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	162	26.6	657.0
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	39	6.4	158.2
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	34	5.6	137.9
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	28	4.6	113.6
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	26	4.3	105.5
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	19	3.1	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	15	2.5	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	11	1.8	*
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	11	1.8	*
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	5	0.8	*
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4	0.7	*
12	Peptic ulcer (K25-K28)	4	0.7	*
12	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	4	0.7	*
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	3	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	79	13.0	320.4
American Indian, male, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	607	100.0	3,549.3
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	177	29.2	1,035.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	155	25.5	906.3
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	42	6.9	245.6
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	34	5.6	198.8
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	22	3.6	128.6
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	22	3.6	128.6
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	14	2.3	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	10	1.6	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	9	1.5	*
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	8	1.3	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	7	1.2	*
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7	1.2	*
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	7	1.2	*
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	5	0.8	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	4	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	84	13.8	491.2

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	549	100.0	5,261.1
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	147	26.8	1,408.7
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	125	22.8	1,197.9
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	32	5.8	306.7
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	31	5.6	297.1
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	26	4.7	249.2
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	26	4.7	249.2
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	17	3.1	*
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	17	3.1	*
9	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	12	2.2	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10	1.8	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	10	1.8	*
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5	0.9	*
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4	0.7	*
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	4	0.7	*
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	80	14.6	766.7
American Indian, male, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	366	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	101	27.6	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	56	15.3	---
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	22	6.0	---
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	21	5.7	---
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	18	4.9	---
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	15	4.1	---
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	13	3.6	---
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	13	3.6	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	12	3.3	---
10	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7	1.9	---
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	6	1.6	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	1.1	---
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	3	0.8	---
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3	0.8	---
13	Enterocolitis due to <i>Clostridium difficile</i> (A04.7)	3	0.8	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	69	18.9	---

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	171	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	49	28.7	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	25	14.6	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	14	8.2	---
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	10	5.8	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	10	5.8	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	7	4.1	---
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	5	2.9	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5	2.9	---
7	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	5	2.9	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5	2.9	---
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	3	1.8	---
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3	1.8	---
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2	1.2	---
14	Hyperplasia of prostate (N40)	1	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	27	15.8	---
American Indian, male, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	38	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8	21.1	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7	18.4	---
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4	10.5	---
4	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2	5.3	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	5.3	---
6	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	2.6	---
6	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	2.6	---
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	2.6	---
6	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	1	2.6	---
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1	2.6	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	2.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	9	23.7	---
American Indian, male, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	16	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4	25.0	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3	18.8	---
3	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1	6.3	---
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	6.3	---
3	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	6.3	---
3	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	1	6.3	---
3	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	6.3	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	4	25.0	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, all ages				
...	All causes	6,407	100.0	399.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,230	19.2	76.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,204	18.8	75.1
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	520	8.1	32.5
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	449	7.0	28.0
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	317	4.9	19.8
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	274	4.3	17.1
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	266	4.2	16.6
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	153	2.4	9.5
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	130	2.0	8.1
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	108	1.7	6.7
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	107	1.7	6.7
12	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	86	1.3	5.4
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	54	0.8	3.4
14	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	52	0.8	3.2
15	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	48	0.7	3.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,409	22.0	87.9
American Indian, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	43	100.0	50.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	17	39.5	*
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	7	16.3	*
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	5	11.6	*
4	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	4.7	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2	4.7	*
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	2.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	9	20.9	*
American Indian, female, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	19	100.0	*
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	12	63.2	*
2	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	10.5	*
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1	5.3	*
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	5.3	*
3	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	5.3	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	5.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	1	5.3	*

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	25	100.0	17.8
1	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	8	32.0	*
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5	20.0	*
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2	8.0	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	2	8.0	*
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1	4.0	*
5	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	4.0	*
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	4.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	5	20.0	*
American Indian, female, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	96	100.0	63.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	51	53.1	34.0
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	13	13.5	*
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	4	4.2	*
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3	3.1	*
4	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	3	3.1	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3	3.1	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	1.0	*
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	1.0	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	1.0	*
7	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	1.0	*
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	1.0	*
7	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	1	1.0	*
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	1.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	12	12.5	*
American Indian, female, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	90	100.0	63.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	40	44.4	28.1
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	13	14.4	*
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6	6.7	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	4	4.4	*
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3	3.3	*
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	2.2	*
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2	2.2	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	1.1	*
8	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1	1.1	*
8	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	1	1.1	*
8	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	1.1	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	16	17.8	*

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	85	100.0	68.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	38	44.7	30.5
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	7	8.2	*
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	7.1	*
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	5	5.9	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4	4.7	*
5	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	4	4.7	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	3.5	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	2.4	*
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2	2.4	*
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	1.2	*
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	1.2	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	1.2	*
10	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	1.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	10	11.8	*
American Indian, female, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	131	100.0	119.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	42	32.1	38.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	14	10.7	*
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8	6.1	*
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8	6.1	*
3	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	8	6.1	*
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	8	6.1	*
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	7	5.3	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	2.3	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	2.3	*
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	1.5	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2	1.5	*
12	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	1	0.8	*
12	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	1	0.8	*
12	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	0.8	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	23	17.6	21.0

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	172	100.0	155.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	38	22.1	34.4
2	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	21	12.2	19.0
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	20	11.6	18.1
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	10	5.8	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	9	5.2	*
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	7	4.1	*
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	6	3.5	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	1.7	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3	1.7	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	1.2	*
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2	1.2	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	1.2	*
13	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	1	0.6	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	47	27.3	42.5
American Indian, female, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	296	100.0	250.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	52	17.6	44.0
2	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	41	13.9	34.7
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	38	12.8	32.2
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	28	9.5	23.7
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	18	6.1	*
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	13	4.4	*
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	7	2.4	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	7	2.4	*
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	7	2.4	*
7	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	7	2.4	*
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	5	1.7	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5	1.7	*
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4	1.4	*
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	2	0.7	*
14	Meningitis (G00,G03)	2	0.7	*
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2	0.7	*
14	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	2	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	56	18.9	47.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	341	100.0	292.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	68	19.9	58.4
2	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	49	14.4	42.1
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	48	14.1	41.2
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	38	11.1	32.6
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	10	2.9	*
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8	2.3	*
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	8	2.3	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	7	2.1	*
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	6	1.8	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6	1.8	*
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	4	1.2	*
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	4	1.2	*
13	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	0.9	*
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2	0.6	*
14	Atherosclerosis (I70)	2	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	78	22.9	67.0
American Indian, female, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	397	100.0	400.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	89	22.4	89.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	52	13.1	52.5
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	37	9.3	37.3
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	36	9.1	36.3
5	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	33	8.3	33.3
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	12	3.0	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	11	2.8	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11	2.8	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	9	2.3	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	9	2.3	*
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	8	2.0	*
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	7	1.8	*
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	3	0.8	*
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	2	0.5	*
14	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	2	0.5	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	2	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	74	18.6	74.7

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	431	100.0	533.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	126	29.2	156.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	70	16.2	86.7
3	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	34	7.9	42.1
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	32	7.4	39.6
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	21	4.9	26.0
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	19	4.4	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11	2.6	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	9	2.1	*
8	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	9	2.1	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	8	1.9	*
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	1.4	*
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2	0.5	*
12	Enterocolitis due to <i>Clostridium difficile</i> (A04.7)	2	0.5	*
14	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	1	0.2	*
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1	0.2	*
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.2	*
14	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1	0.2	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	77	17.9	95.3
American Indian, female, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	501	100.0	911.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	137	27.3	249.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	100	20.0	181.9
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	55	11.0	100.1
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	23	4.6	41.8
4	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	23	4.6	41.8
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	22	4.4	40.0
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	19	3.8	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11	2.2	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	9	1.8	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	8	1.6	*
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	4	0.8	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4	0.8	*
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.4	*
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	2	0.4	*
13	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	2	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	80	16.0	145.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	570	100.0	1,430.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	161	28.2	404.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	106	18.6	266.0
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	45	7.9	112.9
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	33	5.8	82.8
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	28	4.9	70.3
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	25	4.4	62.7
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	22	3.9	55.2
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	10	1.8	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	9	1.6	*
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	5	0.9	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5	0.9	*
10	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	5	0.9	*
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	4	0.7	*
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	3	0.5	*
14	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	3	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	106	18.6	266.0
American Indian, female, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	587	100.0	1,959.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	167	28.4	557.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	119	20.3	397.2
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	63	10.7	210.3
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	42	7.2	140.2
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	30	5.1	100.1
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	20	3.4	66.8
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	17	2.9	*
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	14	2.4	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	8	1.4	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	7	1.2	*
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4	0.7	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4	0.7	*
11	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	4	0.7	*
14	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	3	0.5	*
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	0.2	*
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.2	*
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1	0.2	*
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.2	*
15	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	1	0.2	*
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	0.2	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	78	13.3	260.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	638	100.0	2,933.2
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	156	24.5	717.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	135	21.2	620.7
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	54	8.5	248.3
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	52	8.2	239.1
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	43	6.7	197.7
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	18	2.8	*
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	18	2.8	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	16	2.5	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	12	1.9	*
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	12	1.9	*
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	10	1.6	*
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7	1.1	*
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5	0.8	*
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	5	0.8	*
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	5	0.8	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	90	14.1	413.8
American Indian, female, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	748	100.0	4,906.5
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	191	25.5	1,252.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	145	19.4	951.1
3	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	64	8.6	419.8
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	56	7.5	367.3
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	41	5.5	268.9
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	30	4.0	196.8
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	17	2.3	*
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	16	2.1	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	13	1.7	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10	1.3	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	7	0.9	*
12	Atherosclerosis (I70)	6	0.8	*
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	5	0.7	*
14	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	2	0.3	*
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.3	*
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2	0.3	*
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	2	0.3	*
14	Hernia (K40-K46)	2	0.3	*
14	Enterocolitis due to <i>Clostridium difficile</i> (A04.7)	2	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	135	18.0	885.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	534	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	143	26.8	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	74	13.9	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	52	9.7	---
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	35	6.6	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	23	4.3	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	23	4.3	---
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	16	3.0	---
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	11	2.1	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	11	2.1	---
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	10	1.9	---
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	8	1.5	---
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	8	1.5	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	7	1.3	---
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	6	1.1	---
15	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	3	0.6	---
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	3	0.6	---
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	3	0.6	---
15	Enterocolitis due to <i>Clostridium difficile</i> (A04.7)	3	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	95	17.8	---
American Indian, female, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	363	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	116	32.0	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	42	11.6	---
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	24	6.6	---
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	18	5.0	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	15	4.1	---
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	11	3.0	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	11	3.0	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8	2.2	---
9	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7	1.9	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	7	1.9	---
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	5	1.4	---
11	Atherosclerosis (I70)	5	1.4	---
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	4	1.1	---
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	0.8	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.6	---
15	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	2	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	83	22.9	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	144	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	39	27.1	---
2	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	13	9.0	---
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	10	6.9	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	9	6.3	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	9	6.3	---
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	6	4.2	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	6	4.2	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	6	4.2	---
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6	4.2	---
10	Atherosclerosis (I70)	3	2.1	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	1.4	---
11	Anemias (D50-D64)	2	1.4	---
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2	1.4	---
11	Enterocolitis due to <i>Clostridium difficile</i> (A04.7)	2	1.4	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	0.7	---
15	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	1	0.7	---
15	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	1	0.7	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	26	18.1	---
American Indian, female, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	44	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	10	22.7	---
2	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	13.6	---
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4	9.1	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3	6.8	---
5	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	2	4.5	---
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2	4.5	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	2.3	---
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1	2.3	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	15	34.1	---

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	44,707	100.0	307.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	11,784	26.4	81.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	10,673	23.9	73.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3,662	8.2	25.2
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,125	4.8	14.6
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,621	3.6	11.1
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,352	3.0	9.3
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,347	3.0	9.3
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	866	1.9	6.0
9	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	813	1.8	5.6
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	720	1.6	5.0
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	585	1.3	4.0
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	546	1.2	3.8
13	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	454	1.0	3.1
14	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	427	1.0	2.9
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	419	0.9	2.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	7,313	16.4	50.3
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	160	100.0	19.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	37	23.1	4.5
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	22	13.8	2.7
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	19	11.9	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	11	6.9	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7	4.4	*
6	Septicemia (A40-A41)	6	3.8	*
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4	2.5	*
8	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	3	1.9	*
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2	1.3	*
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	2	1.3	*
11	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	1	0.6	*
11	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.6	*
11	Meningitis (G00,G03)	1	0.6	*
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	0.6	*
11	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	1	0.6	*
11	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	41	25.6	5.0

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	104	100.0	11.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	38	36.5	4.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	15	14.4	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	7	6.7	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6	5.8	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	5.8	*
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4	3.8	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	1.0	*
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	1.0	*
7	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	1.0	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	1.0	*
7	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	1.0	*
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	1.0	*
7	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	1.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	21	20.2	2.2
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	100	100.0	10.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	38	38.0	4.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	22	22.0	2.3
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7	7.0	*
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	6	6.0	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	6.0	*
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4	4.0	*
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	3	3.0	*
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2	2.0	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	1.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	11	11.0	*

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	354	100.0	37.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	142	40.1	15.0
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	62	17.5	6.6
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	57	16.1	6.0
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	30	8.5	3.2
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	8	2.3	*
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6	1.7	*
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	0.8	*
7	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	3	0.8	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	0.6	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	0.3	*
10	Syphilis (A50-A53)	1	0.3	*
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	0.3	*
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.3	*
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	0.3	*
10	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.3	*
10	Hernia (K40-K46)	1	0.3	*
10	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	33	9.3	3.5
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	515	100.0	50.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	185	35.9	18.0
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	103	20.0	10.0
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	70	13.6	6.8
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	40	7.8	3.9
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	18	3.5	*
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	10	1.9	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	0.8	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4	0.8	*
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	3	0.6	*
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	0.6	*
9	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	3	0.6	*
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2	0.4	*
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.4	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2	0.4	*
12	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	2	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	64	12.4	6.2

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	481	100.0	39.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	127	26.4	10.4
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	86	17.9	7.1
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	73	15.2	6.0
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	44	9.1	3.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	38	7.9	3.1
6	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	9	1.9	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8	1.7	*
8	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	7	1.5	*
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5	1.0	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	0.8	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4	0.8	*
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	4	0.8	*
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	0.6	*
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	0.6	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	2	0.4	*
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2	0.4	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	60	12.5	4.9
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	591	100.0	42.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	116	19.6	8.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	113	19.1	8.1
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	89	15.1	6.4
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	58	9.8	4.2
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	42	7.1	3.0
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	18	3.0	*
7	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	13	2.2	*
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	11	1.9	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	10	1.7	*
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7	1.2	*
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	6	1.0	*
11	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	6	1.0	*
13	Meningococcal infection (A39)	3	0.5	*
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	3	0.5	*
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	3	0.5	*
13	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	3	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	90	15.2	6.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	735	100.0	55.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	196	26.7	14.9
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	114	15.5	8.7
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	84	11.4	6.4
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	65	8.8	4.9
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	43	5.9	3.3
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	36	4.9	2.7
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	12	1.6	*
7	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	12	1.6	*
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	11	1.5	*
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	11	1.5	*
11	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	10	1.4	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	7	1.0	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7	1.0	*
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	7	1.0	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5	0.7	*
15	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	110	15.0	8.4
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	1,066	100.0	90.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	358	33.6	30.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	157	14.7	13.3
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	126	11.8	10.7
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	77	7.2	6.5
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	61	5.7	5.2
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	27	2.5	2.3
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	24	2.3	2.0
8	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	20	1.9	1.7
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	15	1.4	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	14	1.3	*
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	11	1.0	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	11	1.0	*
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	8	0.8	*
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	7	0.7	*
15	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	0.6	*
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	6	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	138	12.9	11.7

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	1,610	100.0	151.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	568	35.3	53.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	290	18.0	27.3
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	154	9.6	14.5
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	99	6.1	9.3
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	82	5.1	7.7
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	47	2.9	4.4
7	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	42	2.6	4.0
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	40	2.5	3.8
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	26	1.6	2.5
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	16	1.0	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	15	0.9	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	14	0.9	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	13	0.8	*
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	12	0.7	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	9	0.6	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	9	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	174	10.8	16.4
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	2,096	100.0	225.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	863	41.2	92.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	399	19.0	43.0
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	136	6.5	14.6
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	107	5.1	11.5
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	72	3.4	7.8
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	59	2.8	6.4
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	50	2.4	5.4
8	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	33	1.6	3.6
9	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	29	1.4	3.1
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	24	1.1	2.6
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	22	1.0	2.4
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	20	1.0	2.2
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	20	1.0	2.2
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	19	0.9	*
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	15	0.7	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	15	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	213	10.2	22.9

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	2,720	100.0	350.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,135	41.7	146.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	579	21.3	74.6
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	205	7.5	26.4
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	119	4.4	15.3
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	107	3.9	13.8
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	48	1.8	6.2
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	46	1.7	5.9
8	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	43	1.6	5.5
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	34	1.3	4.4
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	34	1.3	4.4
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	31	1.1	4.0
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	28	1.0	3.6
13	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	24	0.9	3.1
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	23	0.8	3.0
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	12	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	252	9.3	32.5
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	2,951	100.0	554.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,184	40.1	222.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	641	21.7	120.5
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	217	7.4	40.8
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	141	4.8	26.5
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	111	3.8	20.9
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	53	1.8	10.0
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	50	1.7	9.4
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	49	1.7	9.2
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	37	1.3	7.0
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	36	1.2	6.8
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	35	1.2	6.6
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	35	1.2	6.6
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	34	1.2	6.4
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	16	0.5	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	15	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	297	10.1	55.8

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	3,605	100.0	877.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,313	36.4	319.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	872	24.2	212.2
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	300	8.3	73.0
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	180	5.0	43.8
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	107	3.0	26.0
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	92	2.6	22.4
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	66	1.8	16.1
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	59	1.6	14.4
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	45	1.2	11.0
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	35	1.0	8.5
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	34	0.9	8.3
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	32	0.9	7.8
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	29	0.8	7.1
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	25	0.7	6.1
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	20	0.6	4.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	396	11.0	96.4
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	4,332	100.0	1,372.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,514	34.9	479.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,004	23.2	318.1
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	379	8.7	120.1
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	190	4.4	60.2
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	134	3.1	42.5
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	103	2.4	32.6
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	97	2.2	30.7
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	95	2.2	30.1
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	69	1.6	21.9
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	50	1.2	15.8
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	48	1.1	15.2
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	40	0.9	12.7
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	39	0.9	12.4
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	38	0.9	12.0
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	29	0.7	9.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	503	11.6	159.4

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	5,582	100.0	2,340.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,603	28.7	672.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,375	24.6	576.6
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	519	9.3	217.6
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	256	4.6	107.4
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	242	4.3	101.5
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	174	3.1	73.0
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	143	2.6	60.0
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	134	2.4	56.2
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	84	1.5	35.2
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	76	1.4	31.9
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	74	1.3	31.0
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	52	0.9	21.8
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	48	0.9	20.1
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	47	0.8	19.7
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	43	0.8	18.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	712	12.8	298.6
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	6,196	100.0	3,905.0
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,689	27.3	1,064.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,339	21.6	843.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	627	10.1	395.2
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	305	4.9	192.2
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	252	4.1	158.8
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	244	3.9	153.8
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	152	2.5	95.8
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	144	2.3	90.8
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	137	2.2	86.3
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	96	1.5	60.5
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	93	1.5	58.6
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	78	1.3	49.2
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	63	1.0	39.7
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	55	0.9	34.7
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	40	0.6	25.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	882	14.2	555.9

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	5,492	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,681	30.6	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	903	16.4	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	581	10.6	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	281	5.1	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	222	4.0	---
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	208	3.8	---
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	201	3.7	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	126	2.3	---
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	116	2.1	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	101	1.8	---
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	69	1.3	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	63	1.1	---
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	46	0.8	---
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	46	0.8	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	39	0.7	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	809	14.7	---
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	3,553	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,169	32.9	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	375	10.6	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	334	9.4	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	224	6.3	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	191	5.4	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	146	4.1	---
7	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	92	2.6	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	89	2.5	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	84	2.4	---
10	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	65	1.8	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	49	1.4	---
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	46	1.3	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	45	1.3	---
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	25	0.7	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	22	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	597	16.8	---

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	1,265	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	448	35.4	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	112	8.9	---
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	105	8.3	---
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	104	8.2	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	61	4.8	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	59	4.7	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	33	2.6	---
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	25	2.0	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	25	2.0	---
10	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	18	1.4	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	17	1.3	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	11	0.9	---
13	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	7	0.6	---
14	Atherosclerosis (I70)	5	0.4	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4	0.3	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	231	18.3	---
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	319	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	132	41.4	---
2	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	20	6.3	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	14	4.4	---
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	13	4.1	---
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11	3.4	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	10	3.1	---
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	9	2.8	---
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8	2.5	---
8	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	8	2.5	---
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6	1.9	---
11	Atherosclerosis (I70)	5	1.6	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	1.3	---
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	4	1.3	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.6	---
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	2	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	71	22.3	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, all ages				
...	All causes	23,382	100.0	330.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	5,974	25.5	84.5
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5,827	24.9	82.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,671	7.1	23.6
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,309	5.6	18.5
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	847	3.6	12.0
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	812	3.5	11.5
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	717	3.1	10.1
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	563	2.4	8.0
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	432	1.8	6.1
10	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	320	1.4	4.5
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	278	1.2	3.9
12	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	257	1.1	3.6
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	256	1.1	3.6
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	247	1.1	3.5
15	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	245	1.0	3.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,627	15.5	51.3
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	76	100.0	18.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	23	30.3	5.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	8	10.5	*
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	8	10.5	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	7.9	*
5	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	2.6	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2	2.6	*
5	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	2	2.6	*
8	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	1	1.3	*
8	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	1.3	*
8	Meningitis (G00,G03)	1	1.3	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	1.3	*
8	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	1.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	20	26.3	4.8

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	51	100.0	10.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	22	43.1	4.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7	13.7	*
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4	7.8	*
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	4	7.8	*
5	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	2.0	*
5	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	2.0	*
5	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	2.0	*
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	2.0	*
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	2.0	*
5	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	2.0	*
5	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	2.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	7	13.7	*
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	57	100.0	11.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	25	43.9	5.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	13	22.8	*
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	5	8.8	*
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	2	3.5	*
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	2	3.5	*
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1	1.8	*
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	1.8	*
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	1.8	*
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	1.8	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	6	10.5	*
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	246	100.0	50.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	98	39.8	20.1
2	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	55	22.4	11.3
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	41	16.7	8.4
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	17	6.9	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5	2.0	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	5	2.0	*
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	0.8	*
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2	0.8	*
7	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	2	0.8	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	0.4	*
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	0.4	*
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	0.4	*
10	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.4	*
10	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	1	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	14	5.7	*

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	378	100.0	72.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	145	38.4	27.7
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	80	21.2	15.3
3	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	61	16.1	11.6
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	22	5.8	4.2
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	13	3.4	*
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	6	1.6	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3	0.8	*
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	0.8	*
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	2	0.5	*
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2	0.5	*
9	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	2	0.5	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	0.3	*
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	0.3	*
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.3	*
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	35	9.3	6.7
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	319	100.0	53.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	93	29.2	15.5
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	64	20.1	10.6
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	35	11.0	5.8
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	34	10.7	5.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	29	9.1	4.8
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	6	1.9	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	1.3	*
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4	1.3	*
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	4	1.3	*
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	3	0.9	*
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	0.9	*
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.6	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	0.6	*
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2	0.6	*
15	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	1	0.3	*
15	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1	0.3	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1	0.3	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	30	9.4	5.0

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	375	100.0	55.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	81	21.6	11.9
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	64	17.1	9.4
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	54	14.4	7.9
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	46	12.3	6.8
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	30	8.0	4.4
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11	2.9	*
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	9	2.4	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	1.6	*
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5	1.3	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	1.1	*
11	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	0.8	*
11	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	3	0.8	*
13	Meningococcal infection (A39)	2	0.5	*
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	2	0.5	*
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	2	0.5	*
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	51	13.6	7.5
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	431	100.0	67.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	77	17.9	12.0
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	74	17.2	11.5
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	66	15.3	10.3
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	46	10.7	7.2
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	24	5.6	3.7
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	22	5.1	3.4
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	11	2.6	*
8	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	10	2.3	*
9	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	9	2.1	*
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	8	1.9	*
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5	1.2	*
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5	1.2	*
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	5	1.2	*
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	0.7	*
15	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	64	14.8	10.0

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	644	100.0	112.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	161	25.0	28.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	126	19.6	22.0
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	85	13.2	14.8
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	56	8.7	9.8
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	27	4.2	4.7
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	20	3.1	3.5
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	15	2.3	*
8	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	14	2.2	*
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	12	1.9	*
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	10	1.6	*
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	8	1.2	*
12	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	5	0.8	*
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	0.6	*
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4	0.6	*
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	4	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	93	14.4	16.2
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	952	100.0	188.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	246	25.8	48.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	224	23.5	44.4
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	102	10.7	20.2
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	59	6.2	11.7
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	51	5.4	10.1
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	36	3.8	7.1
7	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	31	3.3	6.1
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	23	2.4	4.6
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	18	1.9	*
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	13	1.4	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	9	0.9	*
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	9	0.9	*
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	8	0.8	*
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	8	0.8	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	6	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	109	11.4	21.6

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	1,228	100.0	283.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	412	33.6	95.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	298	24.3	68.8
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	71	5.8	16.4
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	67	5.5	15.5
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	49	4.0	11.3
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	48	3.9	11.1
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	43	3.5	9.9
8	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	25	2.0	5.8
9	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	16	1.3	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	14	1.1	*
11	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	13	1.1	*
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	12	1.0	*
13	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	11	0.9	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	11	0.9	*
15	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10	0.8	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	128	10.4	29.5
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	1,612	100.0	450.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	548	34.0	153.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	439	27.2	122.6
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	113	7.0	31.6
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	81	5.0	22.6
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	65	4.0	18.2
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	33	2.0	9.2
7	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	28	1.7	7.8
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	27	1.7	7.5
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	25	1.6	7.0
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	19	1.2	*
10	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	19	1.2	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	18	1.1	*
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	17	1.1	*
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	15	0.9	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	9	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	156	9.7	43.6

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	1,722	100.0	696.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	646	37.5	261.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	441	25.6	178.3
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	107	6.2	43.3
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	86	5.0	34.8
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	64	3.7	25.9
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	41	2.4	16.6
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	34	2.0	13.7
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	23	1.3	9.3
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	23	1.3	9.3
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	22	1.3	8.9
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	20	1.2	8.1
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	20	1.2	8.1
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	18	1.0	*
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	11	0.6	*
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	7	0.4	*
15	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	7	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	152	8.8	61.5
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	2,071	100.0	1,087.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	729	35.2	382.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	569	27.5	298.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	172	8.3	90.3
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	93	4.5	48.8
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	62	3.0	32.6
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	56	2.7	29.4
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	38	1.8	20.0
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	30	1.4	15.8
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	26	1.3	13.7
10	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	24	1.2	12.6
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	22	1.1	11.6
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	17	0.8	*
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	16	0.8	*
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	15	0.7	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	10	0.5	*
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	10	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	182	8.8	95.6

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	2,287	100.0	1,663.5
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	779	34.1	566.6
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	560	24.5	407.3
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	185	8.1	134.6
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	96	4.2	69.8
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	84	3.7	61.1
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	62	2.7	45.1
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	58	2.5	42.2
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	51	2.2	37.1
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	29	1.3	21.1
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	28	1.2	20.4
11	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	24	1.0	17.5
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	23	1.0	16.7
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	19	0.8	*
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	19	0.8	*
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	14	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	256	11.2	186.2
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	2,814	100.0	2,882.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	817	29.0	837.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	730	25.9	747.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	235	8.4	240.8
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	159	5.7	162.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	119	4.2	121.9
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	88	3.1	90.2
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	79	2.8	80.9
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	70	2.5	71.7
9	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	32	1.1	32.8
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	29	1.0	29.7
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	28	1.0	28.7
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	27	1.0	27.7
13	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	25	0.9	25.6
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	20	0.7	20.5
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	19	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	337	12.0	345.3

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	3,019	100.0	4,707.6
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	828	27.4	1,291.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	707	23.4	1,102.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	242	8.0	377.4
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	196	6.5	305.6
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	140	4.6	218.3
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	105	3.5	163.7
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	68	2.3	106.0
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	64	2.1	99.8
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	53	1.8	82.6
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	47	1.6	73.3
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	44	1.5	68.6
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	44	1.5	68.6
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	35	1.2	54.6
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	28	0.9	43.7
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	17	0.6	*
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	17	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	384	12.7	598.8
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	2,491	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	749	30.1	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	452	18.1	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	248	10.0	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	142	5.7	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	132	5.3	---
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	88	3.5	---
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	72	2.9	---
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	64	2.6	---
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	55	2.2	---
10	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	39	1.6	---
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	36	1.4	---
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	28	1.1	---
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	27	1.1	---
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	26	1.0	---
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	20	0.8	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	313	12.6	---

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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LCWK1. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in 5-year age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2006

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	1,501	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	469	31.2	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	183	12.2	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	135	9.0	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	116	7.7	---
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	88	5.9	---
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	64	4.3	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	38	2.5	---
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	33	2.2	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	30	2.0	---
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	28	1.9	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	26	1.7	---
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	24	1.6	---
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	18	1.2	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	15	1.0	---
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	15	1.0	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	219	14.6	---
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	492	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	178	36.2	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	54	11.0	---
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	45	9.1	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	32	6.5	---
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	32	6.5	---
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	16	3.3	---
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	12	2.4	---
8	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	9	1.8	---
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7	1.4	---
9	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	7	1.4	---
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	7	1.4	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	0.6	---
12	Atherosclerosis (I70)	3	0.6	---
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	2	0.4	---
14	Peptic ulcer (K25-K28)	2	0.4	---
14	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder (K80-K82)	2	0.4	---
14	Hyperplasia of prostate (N40)	2	0.4	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	79	16.1	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	103	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	42	40.8	---
2	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	8	7.8	---
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4	3.9	---
3	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4	3.9	---
3	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4	3.9	---
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3	2.9	---
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	3	2.9	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	2.9	---
6	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	3	2.9	---
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3	2.9	---
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	1.9	---
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	1.0	---
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	1.0	---
12	Atherosclerosis (I70)	1	1.0	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	21	20.4	---
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, all ages				
...	All causes	21,325	100.0	285.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	5,810	27.2	77.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,846	22.7	64.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,991	9.3	26.7
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	816	3.8	10.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	809	3.8	10.8
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	630	3.0	8.4
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	505	2.4	6.8
8	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	475	2.2	6.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	434	2.0	5.8
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	338	1.6	4.5
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	290	1.4	3.9
12	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	250	1.2	3.3
13	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	197	0.9	2.6
14	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	146	0.7	2.0
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	141	0.7	1.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,647	17.1	48.8

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	84	100.0	21.1
1	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	14	16.7	*
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	14	16.7	*
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	11	13.1	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5	6.0	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	5	6.0	*
6	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	4.8	*
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	3.6	*
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2	2.4	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	1.2	*
9	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	1	1.2	*
9	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	1.2	*
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	1.2	*
9	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	1.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	21	25.0	5.3
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 5-9 years				
...	All causes	53	100.0	11.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	16	30.2	*
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	8	15.1	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	7	13.2	*
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	5.7	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2	3.8	*
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2	3.8	*
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	1.9	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	14	26.4	*
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 10-14 years				
...	All causes	43	100.0	9.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	13	30.2	*
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	9	20.9	*
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6	14.0	*
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	4	9.3	*
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3	7.0	*
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	2.3	*
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	1	2.3	*
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1	2.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	5	11.6	*

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 15-19 years				
...	All causes	108	100.0	23.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	44	40.7	9.6
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	16	14.8	*
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	13	12.0	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	7	6.5	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	2.8	*
6	Syphilis (A50-A53)	1	0.9	*
6	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.9	*
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1	0.9	*
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	0.9	*
6	Hernia (K40-K46)	1	0.9	*
6	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.9	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	19	17.6	*
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 20-24 years				
...	All causes	137	100.0	27.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	40	29.2	7.9
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	23	16.8	4.6
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	18	13.1	*
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	9	6.6	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5	3.6	*
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	4	2.9	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	2.2	*
7	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	3	2.2	*
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.7	*
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	0.7	*
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.7	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	0.7	*
9	Enterocolitis due to <i>Clostridium difficile</i> (A04.7)	1	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	27	19.7	5.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 25-29 years				
...	All causes	162	100.0	26.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	38	23.5	6.2
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	34	21.0	5.5
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	22	13.6	3.6
4	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	10	6.2	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	9	5.6	*
5	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	9	5.6	*
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	1.9	*
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	1.2	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	1.2	*
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.6	*
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.6	*
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1	0.6	*
10	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1	0.6	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	0.6	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	27	16.7	4.4
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 30-34 years				
...	All causes	216	100.0	30.5
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	59	27.3	8.3
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	35	16.2	4.9
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	25	11.6	3.5
4	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	13	6.0	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	12	5.6	*
5	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	12	5.6	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	7	3.2	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4	1.9	*
9	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	1.4	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	0.9	*
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2	0.9	*
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2	0.9	*
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2	0.9	*
14	Meningococcal infection (A39)	1	0.5	*
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	0.5	*
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	0.5	*
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.5	*
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1	0.5	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	32	14.8	4.5

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 35-39 years				
...	All causes	304	100.0	45.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	119	39.1	17.7
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	40	13.2	5.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	19	6.3	*
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	19	6.3	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	18	5.9	*
6	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	14	4.6	*
7	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	12	3.9	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	1.3	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	1.0	*
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3	1.0	*
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2	0.7	*
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2	0.7	*
11	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	2	0.7	*
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	0.3	*
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.3	*
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.3	*
14	Meningitis (G00,G03)	1	0.3	*
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	1	0.3	*
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1	0.3	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	40	13.2	5.9
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 40-44 years				
...	All causes	422	100.0	69.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	197	46.7	32.5
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	41	9.7	6.8
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	34	8.1	5.6
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	31	7.3	5.1
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	21	5.0	3.5
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	9	2.1	*
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	8	1.9	*
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	7	1.7	*
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6	1.4	*
9	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	1.4	*
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5	1.2	*
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	3	0.7	*
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	3	0.7	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	0.7	*
12	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	3	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	45	10.7	7.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 45-49 years				
...	All causes	658	100.0	118.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	322	48.9	57.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	66	10.0	11.9
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	52	7.9	9.4
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	40	6.1	7.2
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	31	4.7	5.6
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	17	2.6	*
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	11	1.7	*
7	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	11	1.7	*
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	8	1.2	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	0.9	*
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	6	0.9	*
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5	0.8	*
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	0.6	*
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	4	0.6	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	71	10.8	12.8
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 50-54 years				
...	All causes	868	100.0	175.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	451	52.0	91.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	101	11.6	20.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	69	7.9	13.9
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	36	4.1	7.3
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	23	2.6	4.6
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	16	1.8	*
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	13	1.5	*
7	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	13	1.5	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	12	1.4	*
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	8	0.9	*
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	8	0.9	*
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	8	0.9	*
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	6	0.7	*
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	6	0.7	*
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	6	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	92	10.6	18.6

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 55-59 years				
...	All causes	1,108	100.0	265.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	587	53.0	140.5
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	140	12.6	33.5
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	92	8.3	22.0
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	42	3.8	10.1
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	38	3.4	9.1
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	21	1.9	5.0
7	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	15	1.4	*
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	15	1.4	*
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	15	1.4	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	13	1.2	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	11	1.0	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	8	0.7	*
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	7	0.6	*
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	7	0.6	*
15	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	5	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	92	8.3	22.0
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 60-64 years				
...	All causes	1,229	100.0	431.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	538	43.8	189.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	200	16.3	70.3
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	110	9.0	38.6
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	55	4.5	19.3
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	47	3.8	16.5
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	29	2.4	10.2
7	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	18	1.5	*
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	16	1.3	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	15	1.2	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	14	1.1	*
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	12	1.0	*
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	12	1.0	*
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	12	1.0	*
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	10	0.8	*
15	Assault (homicide) (*U01-*U02,X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	135	11.0	47.4

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 65-69 years				
...	All causes	1,534	100.0	695.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	584	38.1	264.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	303	19.8	137.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	128	8.3	58.1
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	87	5.7	39.5
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	51	3.3	23.1
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	36	2.3	16.3
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	30	2.0	13.6
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	21	1.4	9.5
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	19	1.2	*
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	17	1.1	*
11	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	13	0.8	*
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	12	0.8	*
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	10	0.7	*
13	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	10	0.7	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	9	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	204	13.3	92.5
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 70-74 years				
...	All causes	2,045	100.0	1,148.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	735	35.9	412.7
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	444	21.7	249.3
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	194	9.5	108.9
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	94	4.6	52.8
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	50	2.4	28.1
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	46	2.2	25.8
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	41	2.0	23.0
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	40	2.0	22.5
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	37	1.8	20.8
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	27	1.3	15.2
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	26	1.3	14.6
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	20	1.0	11.2
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	20	1.0	11.2
14	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (*U03,X60-X84,Y87.0)	15	0.7	*
15	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	14	0.7	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	14	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	228	11.1	128.0

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 75-79 years				
...	All causes	2,768	100.0	1,965.0
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	786	28.4	558.0
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	645	23.3	457.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	284	10.3	201.6
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	137	4.9	97.3
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	86	3.1	61.1
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	83	3.0	58.9
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	64	2.3	45.4
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	64	2.3	45.4
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	59	2.1	41.9
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	48	1.7	34.1
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	45	1.6	31.9
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	29	1.0	20.6
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	25	0.9	17.7
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	24	0.9	17.0
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	21	0.8	14.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	368	13.3	261.2
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 80-84 years				
...	All causes	3,177	100.0	3,360.5
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	861	27.1	910.7
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	632	19.9	668.5
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	385	12.1	407.2
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	139	4.4	147.0
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	112	3.5	118.5
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	109	3.4	115.3
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	84	2.6	88.9
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	84	2.6	88.9
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	80	2.5	84.6
10	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	52	1.6	55.0
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	49	1.5	51.8
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	31	1.0	32.8
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	28	0.9	29.6
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	27	0.8	28.6
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	23	0.7	24.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	481	15.1	508.8

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 85-89 years				
...	All causes	3,001	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	932	31.1	---
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	451	15.0	---
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	333	11.1	---
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	139	4.6	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	129	4.3	---
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	120	4.0	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	90	3.0	---
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	65	2.2	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	62	2.1	---
10	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	61	2.0	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	37	1.2	---
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	30	1.0	---
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	19	0.6	---
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	19	0.6	---
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	18	0.6	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	496	16.5	---
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 90-94 years				
...	All causes	2,052	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	700	34.1	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	199	9.7	---
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	192	9.4	---
4	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	127	6.2	---
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	108	5.3	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	64	3.1	---
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	58	2.8	---
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	54	2.6	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	51	2.5	---
10	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	32	1.6	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	27	1.3	---
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	23	1.1	---
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	22	1.1	---
14	Atherosclerosis (I70)	12	0.6	---
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	10	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	373	18.2	---

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Rank <sup>1</sup>	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Second Edition, 2004), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 95-99 years				
...	All causes	773	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	270	34.9	---
2	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	80	10.3	---
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	60	7.8	---
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	50	6.5	---
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	45	5.8	---
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	27	3.5	---
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	26	3.4	---
8	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	18	2.3	---
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	13	1.7	---
10	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	11	1.4	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	8	1.0	---
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	8	1.0	---
13	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	7	0.9	---
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	3	0.4	---
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	2	0.3	---
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	2	0.3	---
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	2	0.3	---
15	Enterocolitis due to <i>Clostridium difficile</i> (A04.7)	2	0.3	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	139	18.0	---
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 100 years and over				
...	All causes	216	100.0	---
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	90	41.7	---
2	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	12	5.6	---
3	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	11	5.1	---
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	9	4.2	---
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	9	4.2	---
6	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12,I15)	6	2.8	---
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6	2.8	---
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5	2.3	---
8	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	5	2.3	---
10	Atherosclerosis (I70)	4	1.9	---
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	1.4	---
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.9	---
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2	0.9	---
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.5	---
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1	0.5	---
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1	0.5	---
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	0.5	---
...	All other causes (Residual)	48	22.2	---

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